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# SLATE GRAYDON FOR SHERIFF

## Business Chiefs See Prosperity for 1927

CHEERFUL YET  
CONSERVATIVE  
IN LOOK AHEAD

Basic Conditions Are  
Sound at Start.

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Conservative optimism is the keynote of business forecasts for 1927 by the nation's leading bankers and business men, according to a summary of their views made public tonight by the Associated Press.

With two successive years of unusual prosperity just drawing to a close, at stock and bond prices around the highest levels ever recorded, it is held to be natural that predictions for the year to come should be attended with an unusual degree of caution, particularly by those committed with the cycle of business.

While a number of executives indicate that a slowing down in general business is likely, fundamental conditions are regarded as sound, and no serious depression is looked for during the responsible quarter.

Individual Opinions.—Opinions are expressed over the volume of securities owned by the public, the low price of commodities, particularly cotton, and its position on the country's purchasing power, over the growth of installations in building construction. However, the ordinary barometers of business depression, such as inflated prices, inventories and overextended credit, are absent, the business leaders say.

Views of some of the spokesmen of banking and business follow:

HUBERT H. GARY, chairman of the United States Steel corporation.—Any posted man will say that general business conditions during the year 1926 have been extraordinarily good. Likewise he could, with justice, say so of opportunities for success in this country have been better than they have ever been before. We are rich in resources, including cash balances in the banks. Our banking facilities have been improving year by year since the federal reserve was established. This is likely to continue. The war conditions are unusually good. There is very little real disagreement as to satisfaction to be found in industrial circles.

Now as to the future, no one can be certain as to what is going to happen. Many things may occur to change the business situation for the worse at any time. Some of them may be preventable.

But with the opportunities as outlined there is no reason why prosperity during 1927 will be seriously threatened. There is nothing in sight to indicate that it will be.

CHARLES E. MITCHELL, president of the National City Bank of New York.—The year 1926 has been one of comparative stability in banking. For over a decade the financial world has been tested over in a series of alternating inflation and deflation caused by war and great shifts of gold on a scale heretofore unheard of. The gradual effects of the war are clearing away and banking conditions the world over are getting back more nearly to normal.

In this country commercial demands have shown a healthy expansion during the last year in keeping with the activity of industry, but there is no evidence of borrowing to excess.

With the resources of the reserve bank practically unchanged, money conditions continue easy, with no prospect of strain. No one expects anything in the nature of tight money, but it is true also that aside from the temporary seasonal easing as always occurs in January no large reverses are likely so long as business holds up to current levels.

CHARLES M. SCHWAB, chairman of the board of directors, Bethlehem Steel corporation.—At no time in history has the people of an entire nation enjoyed the prosperity prevalent in the United States today. At no time have people dreamed of the universal use of luxuries which we accept as our birthright. Our material prosperity is astounding, so remarkable that business men are coming from all parts of the world to study our methods. We still have many problems before us. Our very prosperity makes foreign manufacturers cast envious eyes at our markets.

Both in industry and in agriculture there must be cooperation among the

### NEWS SUMMARY

#### LOCAL

Expect Charles E. Graydon to be named sheriff today after Peter M. Hoffman resigns.

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Dead man's dry shoes lead to solution of murder, confessed by slayer and two women who helped him.

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Watchman beaten by two thugs, pulls second gun and shoots both, killing one.

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Auto leaps onto sidewalk, kills pedestrian and injures companion; driver dies.

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Alice Clement Fanel, Chicago's first policewoman and fan of "mashers," dies at age of 48.

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"Unloaded gun" wounds youth at Christmas party.

Page 6.

Inidious and destructive propaganda being used against waterways, is manufacturers' charge.

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Prof. Breasted says earliest man inhabited the Nile valley, and he starts back to Egypt to prove it.

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Bundesen estimates that Chicagoans drank \$18,000,000 in bad liquor at Christmas.

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Reapportionment and traction to hold center of stage in assembly which meets next week.

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Business leaders of nation see fundamental conditions sound for another year of prosperity in 1927.

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Representative Butler says United States must build virtually new navy as result of being tricked at armament conference.

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Two thousand homeless in flood; three dead; Nashville, Tenn., opens churches to house refugees.

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Barking of dog summons boats to rescue twenty-six drunks drifting into treacherous Hell Gate with 125 persons aboard.

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Business picks its own commission to study agricultural problem.

Page 5.

Louisville [Ky.] professor kills self in Indianapolis hotel; \$25,000 bonds in pocket.

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Homemade figures boost Milwaukee's size to \$25,715.

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Bad run takes heavy holiday toll; 11 die in New York; 55 land in hospital.

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Japan presses naval building program; seeks \$125,000,000 for auxiliary warcraft.

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While London ascribes U. S. military activity in Nicaragua to fear of racial cannibal across Isthmus Borah looks into reasons for violent suppression of revolution by U. S. marines.

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Mme. Lupescu, for whom Prince Carol gave up throne of Roumania, admits he has left Paris.

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Chinese-bolshevik effort to discredit Christmas celebrations in Hankow and elsewhere in China is failure.

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Zero wave hits France; brings death to scores.

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Japan plans to spend \$1,453,000 on funeral of late emperor.

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#### WASHINGTON

William Green, president of the A. F. of L., says 1927 will be as good as, if not better than 1926.

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Railroads of country as a whole earned average of 5.21 per cent in 1926, the highest since return to private ownership.

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#### SPORTS

Cobb to ask U. S. probe of baseball scandal.

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Football coaches meet to talk changes in rules.

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Sixty thousand will see Alabama clash with Stanford in rose bowl New Year's day.

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Fifty-one in National league hit .300 or better despite resin ball.

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Opal A. A. wins first speed skating derby of season.

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Bill Mehlhorn clips five strokes from par to win Santa Clara open.

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Tunney recovers from plunge in icy lake; hikes six miles.

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Buds A. A. upsets Sparta soccer team.

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Father O'Connor wins Knights of Columbus basketball game in second overtime period.

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### BIG BROTHER'S THANKLESS JOB



### DRY SHOES CLEW SOLVES MURDER; THREE CONFESS

### Man, 2 Women Held; Victim Clubbed.

BY KATHLEEN McLAUGHLIN.

(Picture on back page.)

When Nathan Leopold lost a pair of spectacles, the "perfect crime" he and Richard Loeb had planned was laid at their door, and they are serving life sentences in Joliet penitentiary.

Because a bit of bone was discovered on the floor of an automobile, Grandmas Neubaur and her youthful sweetheart, John Walton Winn, came to justice, despite their precautions, and she is in Joliet for life, and he is being held.

And because Capt. Dennis Carroll of the West North avenue station noticed the dry soles of the shoes worn by William Lindstrom when his body was found Dec. 7 in the rear of 2120 West Huron street, Assistant State's Attorney Henry Ayers yesterday was preparing to ask for death sentence for Loren Patrick, the confessed slayer; Mrs. Lillian Fraser, who admits she planned the murder, and Mrs. Catherine Cassler of Hebron, Ind., who confessed she assisted in it.

Captured in Calif.

Patrick, sought by police after Mrs. Fraser's confession last Tuesday, was captured in a cafe at 1401 West 61st street on Christmas night, by successful ruse. He was lured to the cafe on the pretext that Joseph Fraser, husband of Lillian, whom he had known previous to the murder, wanted to meet him there.

Once in the station, Patrick admitted his guilt, but told his questioners the killing had bothered his conscience so little he had hardly thought of it except to avoid the police.

His nonchalance extended through prolonged questioning by Capt. Carroll and the police, who were trying to reconstruct the crime, but waved a bit when newspaper photographers entered the room. As though realizing for the first time the seriousness of his crime, he squirmed uneasily in his chair and a look of alarm was visible in his eyes.

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laying down of capital ships in a major replacement scheme.

Revising its program to fit the reduced estimate, the navy plans now to retire four cruisers, twenty-eight destroyers, fourteen submarines, three special service boats and three river gunboats, to be replaced by four 10,000-ton cruisers, twenty-four non-combative submarines and two gunboats, a decrease of 21 ships, but an increase of 10,000 tons. The cruisers are estimated to cost 27,000,000 yen (\$13,500,000) each.

At present Japan has under construction or ready for commissioning two aircraft carriers, totaling 88,000 tons; seven cruisers, totaling 61,200 tons; ten destroyers, totaling 14,700 tons, and fourteen submarines, with a total of 17,600 tons. Appropriations have also been voted for eight more destroyers, totaling 12,800 tons, and ten submarines with a total of 13,300 tons.

#### Kato Gives Figures.

Admiral Kato, naval attaché of the house of commons, who has been contributing many articles to the Japanese press in support of the naval replacement program, gives the following comparison of the auxiliary strengths of the various navies:

#### JAPAN.

	Number. Tonnage.
Airplane ships	12 15,200
Cruisers	22 112,800
Destroyers	48 85,100
Submarines	49 30,000

#### UNITED STATES.

	Number. Tonnage.
Airplane ships	3 40,500
Cruisers	15 78,400
Destroyers	52 320,200
Submarines	53 41,600

#### GREAT BRITAIN.

	Number. Tonnage.
Cruisers	8 144,000
Destroyers	50 228,400
Submarines	57 30,000

#### FRANCE.

	Number. Tonnage.
Cruisers	7 55,000
Scout destroyers	4 8,500
Destroyers	37 37,000
Submarines	47 30,000

#### ITALY.

	Number. Tonnage.
Cruisers	12 60,100
Scout destroyers	24 24,500
Destroyers	35 45,000
Submarines	47 17,000

Putting the strengths of Japan at 100, these figures show Great Britain's strength is 227, America's 205, France 51 and Italy 64 in respect to surface auxiliary ships, with America 220, Britain 123, France 90 and Italy 44 in respect to submarines.

#### Reveals Building Plans.

According to Admiral Kato, on June 1 of this year the powers had the following plans for building auxiliaries:

#### JAPAN.

	Number. Tonnage.
Aircraft carriers	2 68,800
Cruisers	11 81,300
Destroyers	14 17,600
Submarines	10 13,800

#### AMERICA.

	Number. Tonnage.
Aircraft carriers	2 65,000
Scout destroyers	3 37,000
Destroyers	12 45,000
Submarines	3 8,700

#### GREAT BRITAIN.

	Number. Tonnage.
Cruisers	10 66,700
Destroyers	11 12,000
Submarines	3 32,400

France had, on June 1, five 5,000-ton cruisers in course of construction, with 10,000-ton cruisers voted for but not three 15,000-ton cruisers voted for but not 10,000-ton submarines program is extensive, with twenty 1,200-ton ships under way, and twenty-seven, was nearing the end of a long trip.

## WOMEN BOBBED, MEN WORE LONG HAIR, IN THIS RACE OF PYGMIES

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 26.—(AP)—Flu, disease, tropical insects, and dense forests were only a few of the obstacles surmounted by an American-Dutch expedition headed by Prof. Mathew W. Stirling, former faculty member of the University of California, in a survey of New Guinea during which the "race of pygmies" was discovered.

Prof. Stirling's journal recounts his expedition's experiences with hostile savages of a race so far uncatalogued by science and with "fantastic customs."

In one tribe encountered above the tidewater, a native of the men virtually wore bush and the habit when they reached maturity.

The tribe had another custom known as need-boring. Groups of natives sat for hours whistling through reed instruments in undulating tones that finally attained the tonal resonance of a large buzz saw in operation.

The Hughes ratio for capital ships

## U.S. CRUISER PLAN SEEN AS PATH TO NEW NAVAL MEET

Europe Likely to Watch

Butler Bill Closely.

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PARIS, Dec. 26.—When the American government decides on the construction of ten new cruisers, as called for in the Butler bill now before Congress, it will launch a policy which,

as seen from this side of the Atlantic, is likely to lead to the convocation of a new naval conference on terms acceptable to Washington.

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limitation or armaments—land, naval or any other kind—the American government approached the British government with a suggestion that the two powers should meet in conference at Washington to extend limitations to cruisers and other auxiliary ships. London replied it would be most interesting in such a conference, provided there was adopted the same formula as applied by Mr. Hughes' capital ship plan, namely allocation on proportions based on existing relative strength of cruisers.

Constrained as Refusal.

England having about three times as many cruisers as the United States, was struck by Washington as tantamount to a refusal and nothing was published at this time about any new effort for a second Washington conference.

Therefore, it would appear that one way to extend the 5-5 ratio to the powers analogous to that occupied by the new cabinet, when other naval powers so quickly accepted the United States' offer that it should not have the world's strongest navy.

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## ARMY DICTATOR SHADOWS REGIME IN JUGO-SLAVIA

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

BELGRADE, Dec. 26.—Jugoslavia is facing a military dictatorship according to reports in the Belgrade press, which violently denounces the newly formed Uzunovitch government because it includes two generals and four other nonparliamentary ministers.

The papers assert that the new government is planning to bring Jugoslavia down to a level with Roumania, Greece and Spain, where the generals tell the ministers what to do.

The Jugoslav press also is disappointed because the loudly heralded anti-Italian stand is not to be realized with the new cabinet whose weight in numbers is 50 per cent. It is a

reversal to capital ships when other naval powers so quickly accepted the United States' offer that it should not have the world's strongest navy.

Woman 'Leaves' Child in Auto; Yells Bring Police

When Mrs. George Smith, 3647 West 101st Street, went into the Tower theatre at 1810 East 43rd street last night she left her 2 year old son in a closed automobile parked at the curb. An hour or two later the youngster began to yell loudly and a passerby told the something was wrong with him, notified the Woodlawn police. Sergeant Swan broke into the car and took the child to the station, where he was warmed and entertained. Mrs. Smith found him after the show.

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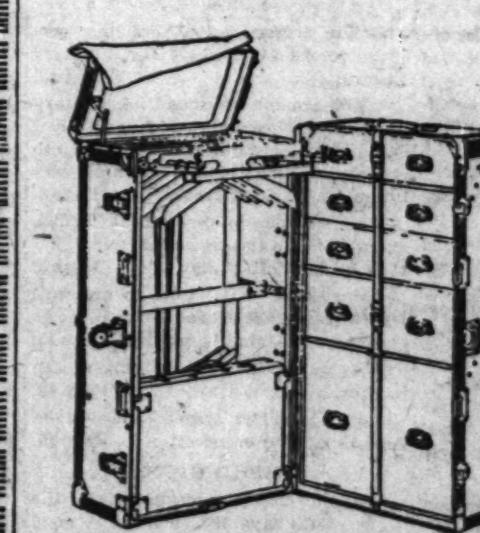
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Agent Defies Yanks  
to Cow His People.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26.—[U. N.]  
Details of a Senate attack on the  
State department interference in  
Nicaraguan affairs appeared more cer-  
tain tonight when it was learned that  
Senator Joseph, chairman of the senate  
relations committee, was con-  
vening a private inquiry into the

matter. Senator Borah is seeking detailed  
information from persons now in New  
York who have first hand knowledge  
of the facts behind the scenes.  
Although a similar inquiry has  
been proposed, Senator Borah is of the  
opinion that this will take too long to  
be of any practical use save as a post-  
ponement. He believes that public opin-  
ion should be informed and aroused at  
once. If his private inquiries are  
useful he probably will discuss the  
subject in the senate soon after con-  
cluding his conference on Jan. 2.

Details of the various steps of the  
policy of the state department in back-  
ing President Diaz's faction in Nicaragua  
went even to the point of using arms  
against the insurgents, led by Dr. Juan  
Garcia, former vice president.

Diez Lent Rebels \$500,000.

This is not the first time Wash-  
ington has used force to support its favor-  
ite candidate in Nicaragua. President  
Washington is reported to have been the Amer-  
ican protagonist in the earlier episode, as  
is in the present case, on the side of the  
revolutionaries when the revolution against  
President Zelaya broke out, the United  
States laid down a neutral zone at  
Managua, and thus protected the revolutionaries.

Adolfo Diaz was then a  
subpoena, on a small salary, for an  
American concern having a branch in  
Nicaragua. Diaz was the ostensible  
holder of a \$500,000 loan to finance the  
revolutionaries. Later he was made  
assistant to the American minister, sup-  
porting that he had received in his recent  
visit to the chief office.

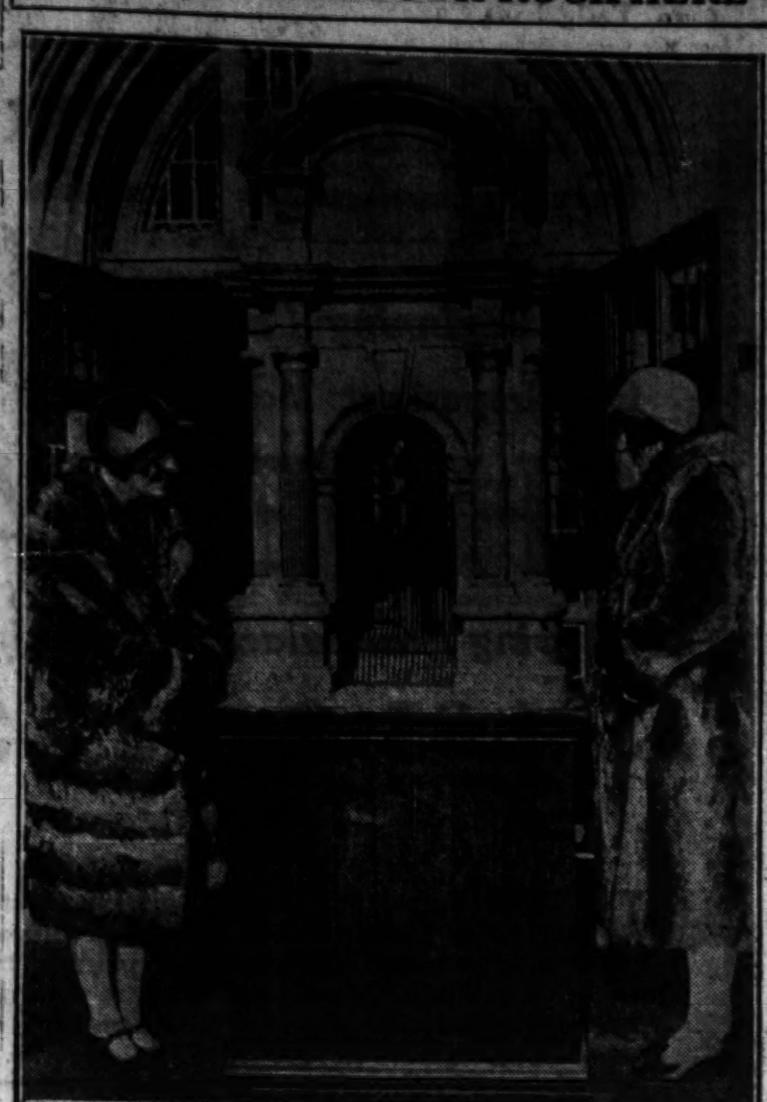
The present trouble began some  
months ago when Gen. Chamorro  
boldly ousted Carlos Solórzano from  
his presidency. The United States re-  
sponded to recognize Chamorro, saying  
to himself the presidency by force.

Gen. Chamorro controlled the con-  
gress and had his protégé, Diaz, elected  
representative, although the faction of Dr.  
Garcia, the revolutionaries, had a majority.  
The right of the congress to elect  
a president, Garcia is now trying to  
get him to the presidency. Mexico is back-  
ing him.

President Long Struggles.

London, Dec. 26.—[U. N.]—Armed  
rebellion by the United States in  
Nicaragua in support of the Diaz gov-  
ernment instead of bringing peace to  
the country will only bring anarchy, many  
stratified and great losses in prop-  
erty and lives," Heriberto Robledo, under-  
secretary of education in the cabinet  
of Dr. Juan Garcia, said today. He has just arrived in Mexico  
from the Nicaraguan fighting  
and Robledo said many thousands  
of soldiers from the United States and

PIECE OF PLYMOUTH ROCK HERE



Girl students at the University of Chicago gazing at piece of stone  
on which Pilgrim Fathers landed 300 years ago last Tuesday as it  
rests under canopy in Fiske hall of the Chicago Theological seminary,  
adjoining the campus of the University of Chicago, at 5757 Woodlawn  
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many millions of dollars would not be  
sufficient to subjugate Nicaragua "be-  
cause the Nicaraguan people, who  
have suffered much, will fight to  
complete their liberation rather than bow to  
the government the United States would  
force upon them."

London View of Now.

LONDON, Dec. 26.—[U. N.]—The  
possibility of an immediate and  
immediate trouble in the state, war  
and navy departments of the United  
States, because it might one day rival  
the Panama canal, has much to do with  
American activities in Central Amer-  
ica, according to opinion expressed in the London "Observer" in connection  
with the Nicaraguan situation.

By the arrangement with Panama,  
any U. S. newspaper "a very realistic  
will be entitled at the disposal of the  
United States in the event of war."

"In Nicaragua there is possibly a  
route for another inter-oceanic canal.  
Washington has no intention of allowing  
its influence to be displaced by the  
lively civil war now proceeding be-  
tween the revolutionaries and Conservatives  
in that Central American country."

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take advantage of  
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DOG'S BARK SAVES  
125 DRIFTING INTO  
HELL GATE WRATH

Harbor Tugs Hear Alarm  
and Rescue 26 Barges.

New York, Dec. 26.—[U. N.]—Summoned  
by the barking of a dog, a fireboat and  
tug captured 26 coal barges drifting  
down the East river today into the  
treacherous Hell Gate with 125 per-  
sons—bargemen and their families  
aboard. The barges, lashed together,  
had gone adrift when the hawsers  
anchored them to the sea wall near  
East 9th street broke.

The fireboat George E. McCallan  
was anchored at the foot of East 9th  
street. The crew was asleep.

Spirits Mascot Gives Alarm.

Peggy, the spitz mascot of the  
boat, started barking. Lt. John  
Hughes, in command, went on deck  
to investigate. Above the howling of  
thirty-five mile wind he heard faint  
cries for help from the barges. Through  
the darkness of the early morning  
hours he could see the barges moving out  
into the river.

Toward Hell Gate with its treacherous

reefs they drifted. Sounding its  
distress signal, the fireboat started  
pursuit.

Boats to the Rescue.

Near Mill Rock the fireboat was  
unable to hold them in check in  
face of the strong wind. The tug  
was sent to the rescue. The  
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Prevented by the tide from returning  
to the anchorage the two boats towed them four miles to a  
Brooklyn pier.

MAN, DAUGHTER,  
AND SON KNIFED;  
THIRD MAN SHOT

One man was shot and severely  
wounded and two other men and a  
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battle in the soft drink parlor of  
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avenue.

Kessler, who is 69 years old and is  
known to the police as a bootlegger,  
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side in the affray escaped.

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had gone in to collect from Kessler.

The latter's story is that the trio tried  
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Kesslers, after being treated at the  
County hospital, were held by the Mar-  
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Police last night were seeking  
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ORGANIZE ANTI-GIFT  
LEAGUE IN FRANCE TO  
FIGHT PROFITEERING

Chicago Tribune, Press Service  
PARIS, Dec. 26.—The French anti-  
gift league was organized here today  
to combat yuletide profiteering.

In France, where the customary ex-  
change of gifts takes place at New  
Year rather than Christmas, a gen-  
eral outcry has arisen against the  
use of the year's gift specialists,  
which explains the name of the league.

"The purpose of this league is to  
break profiteering," said Etienne Marti-  
tan, its organizer and president. "Its  
workings are extremely simple. Per-  
sons who used to exchange a box of  
chocolates for a bunch of flowers on  
New Year's day this year will escape  
paying outrageous prices to the florist  
and confectioner by simply exchange-  
ing personal cards. All members of  
the league expect to do this, and the  
membership recruited in a few days  
totals several thousand."

M. Martitan said he expected the  
league's work this year to force the  
authorities to adopt a reasonable atti-  
tude so that the organization could  
be disbanded.

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## AUTO LEAPS ON WALK; 1 KILLED, ANOTHER HURT

Driver Flees; Seize Friend in Deserted Car.

A motorist last night ran his automobile onto a sidewalk and after killing a pedestrian and injuring his woman companion, fled from the scene of the accident, leaving behind him his friend in the deserted automobile. The accident occurred in front of 1314 West 9th street. After the crash, the man, John S. Sera, and his friend, Sera Myman, was seriously injured. Both reside at 1826 West Marquette road.

The driver of the automobile, who is being sought by police, is said to be Samuel Mansen, 1101 West 9th street. His companion, Bennie Tetero, 916 East 11th street, was arrested by the Chicago Law police.

### Oak Parker Dies of Injuries.

W. A. Morley, 56 years old, 222 South Greenfield, Oak Park, was struck by an automobile driven by Miss Dorothy Sorenson, 212 North Lathrop avenue, River Forest, on Nov. 22, died yesterday at the West Suburban hospital. An inquest is to be held to determine whether injuries in the accident caused death. At the time of the accident, Morley refused medical aid and went home unaided. He became suddenly ill yesterday and was taken to the hospital.

If Morley's death is officially credited to the auto death toll, four deaths yesterday will raise the total in Cook county to 1,000.

Martin Kalin, 25 years old, 11725 South Yale avenue, who fell from the running board of an automobile on Christmas eve, died yesterday at the Lutheran Memorial hospital from a spinal fracture. An investigation is being made by police.

The Laramondale police are trying to establish the identity of an unidentified man who was struck and fatally injured by an automobile at 19th street and Crawford avenue. The driver of the auto, Amos Griffith, 26 years old, 740 Harvard avenue, took the man to St. Anthony's hospital, where he died. The victim was about

### THREE KILLED, ONE HURT, AS TRAIN HITS AUTO IN MICHIGAN

Wyandotte, Mich., Dec. 26.—(AP)—Three persons were killed and one seriously injured when their automobile was struck by a speeding freight train at a crossing here yesterday. The dead are John Landau, 53, and Mrs. Edna Zink, 20, of Wyandotte, and Mrs. Elizabeth Evans of Elgin, Mich. Lawrence Landau, 32, was injured.

March the Safest Month.

The peak for the year was the four week period between Oct. 9 and Nov. 6, and March was the month of lowest mortality, probably due to the fact that weather interfered greatly with motoring.

The distribution of deaths in the twenty-one periods of four weeks be-

ing with the one ending Dec. 4, 1926, was as follows: Dec. 4, 1926, 624; Dec. 9, 1926, 776; Oct. 19, 1926, 681; Sept. 13, 1926, 689; Sept. 14, 1926, 699; Sept. 19, 1926, 684; June 19, 1926, 549; March 23, 1926, 487; April 24, 1926, 424; March 27, 1926, 550; Feb. 27, 1926, 500; Jan. 30, 1926, 541; Jan. 2, 1926, 528; Sept. 12, 1926, 531; Aug. 15, 1926, 529; Sept. 18, 1926, 530; July 18, 1926, 495; June 26, 1926, 493; May 23, 1926, 492; April 26, 1926, 484; March 26, 1926, 483; Dec. 5, 1926, 635; Nov. 7, 1926, 628; Oct. 10, 1926, 627; Sept. 15, 1926, 626; Sept. 18, 1926, 625; Sept. 21, 1926, 624; Sept. 24, 1926, 623; Sept. 27, 1926, 622; Sept. 30, 1926, 621; Sept. 3, 1926, 620; Sept. 6, 1926, 619; Sept. 9, 1926, 618; Sept. 12, 1926, 617; Sept. 15, 1926, 616; Sept. 18, 1926, 615; Sept. 21, 1926, 614; Sept. 24, 1926, 613; Sept. 27, 1926, 612; Sept. 30, 1926, 611; Sept. 3, 1926, 610; Sept. 6, 1926, 609; Sept. 9, 1926, 608; Sept. 12, 1926, 607; Sept. 15, 1926, 606; Sept. 18, 1926, 605; Sept. 21, 1926, 604; 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**CAROL'S REDHEAD  
CHARMER ADMITS  
HE'S QUIT PARIS**

Romanian Prince's Trip  
Veiled in Mystery.

BY HENRY WALES.  
[Chicago Tribune Service.]  
PARIS, Dec. 26.—The TRIBUNE learned definitely today that Mme. Alice Lupescu did not accompany Crown Prince Carol of Roumania on his mysterious Yuletide journey.

The prince was variously reported as spending the holidays secretly at Bucharest with the royal family, and celebrating Christmas in some Riviera town or Switzerland.

He quit his palatial residence at the famous known as "Chateau Caraiman" sometime Thursday night unobserved by the corps of detectives and reporters who have been hovering in the vicinity for weeks.

Close Friend in Geneva.

It was also learned that one of Prince Carol's closest friends went to Geneva, where the prince, if he followed, might conveniently confer with representatives of Roumanian interests seeking his return.

The most significant fact, however, was that the prince's uniformed attendant from the street in front of Prince Carol's residence, observed Miss Lupescu seated at a window of the mansion's salon. When she realized she was being observed she quickly withdrew from view, and sent a uniformed lackey to parley with the intruder.

Admits Carol Has Left.

Replying to a note asking for confirmation of the prince's reported departure to Switzerland, she stated, "All I can say is that Carol has left." This is the first time the prince has left the company of the tanned haired Roumanian since he publicly renounced his rights to the throne of Roumania, abandoned his wife and child and fled to Paris about a year ago. One report said the prince and Mme. Lupescu ended their romance about ten days ago.

**Robbers Bind Watchman  
and Get Contents of Safe**

Two men bound Cleveland Matthew, a watchman at the bank of the Wm. Scott Thawing company, 152 Thawing Street, last night and then broke into safe and carried off the contents.



**ARREST TWO FOR  
GIVING U. S. "BIG  
BERTHA" SECRET**

(Copyright: 1926, by the New York Times.)  
BERLIN, Dec. 26.—Secrets of Germany's "Big Berthas," the long range guns which were destroyed before they could fall into the hands of the allies after the armistice, were revealed to the United States by two Germans now under arrest on a charge of high treason, according to disclosures published by the Montag Morgen. The prisoners are Dr. Goldman and Dr. Dietz.

It appears that Goldman offered to sell American embassy in Berlin an artillery invention which previously had been rejected by the German high command.

**LINER SCRAPES  
SAN JUAN HARBOR  
BED; NO DAMAGE**

(Copyright: 1926, by the New York Times.)  
New York, Dec. 26.—(UPI)—The Cunard liner Franconia scraped the bed of San Juan harbor, Porto Rico, today, an official of the line said here tonight, following a report that the liner had gone "aground."

Passengers were landed soon afterward and went on a sightseeing trip to Barranquitas in the center of the island, the official said. There was no damage to the liner, he declared.

Among her passengers are Mr. and Mrs. Fleming H. Revell Jr., and Miss Muriel Revell of New York; son, daughter-in-law, and daughter of Fleming H. Revell Sr. of Chicago.



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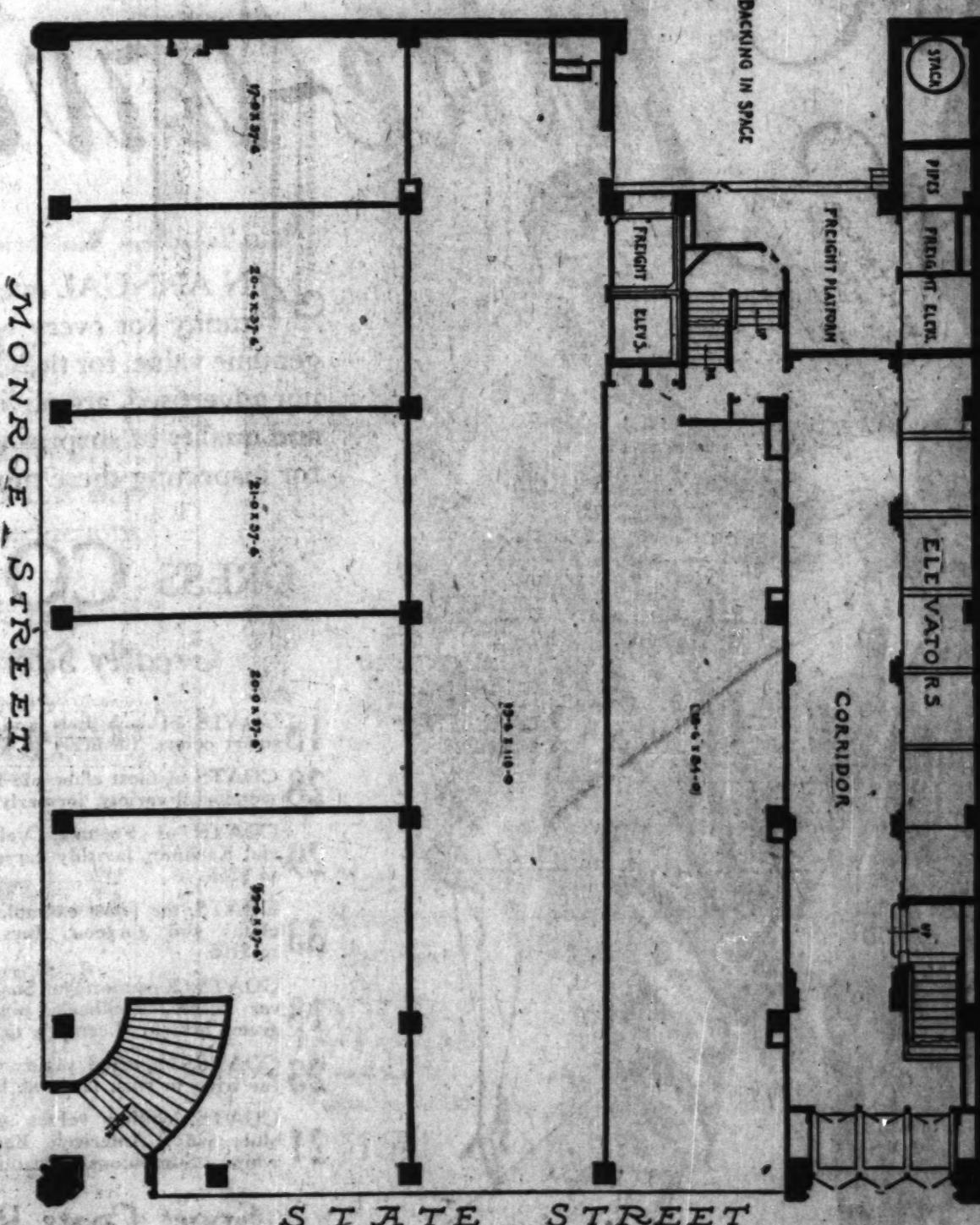
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## ALICE CLEMENT, POLICEWOMAN, IS TAKEN BY DEATH

Was First on Force in  
Chicago.

(Picture on back page.)

Mrs. Alice Clement Faubel, Chicago's first policewoman, and noted throughout the country for her campaigns against "mashers," died yesterday at the age of 42. She had been ill with diabetes for ten months, and had been removed to her home at 6223 Newark avenue from the county hospital, where it was learned that she could not survive.

Her husband, Albert Faubel, and three daughters, Mrs. Ethel Leiter of El Paso, Tex.; Mrs. Ruth Morrow, 240 Lawrence avenue, and Mary Clement, who lived with her mother, were all at the bedside when she died.

Joined Force in 1909.

Mrs. Faubel joined the Chicago police force in 1909 and as Alice Clement gained wide recognition for her work in capturing confidence men, pickpockets, and later mashers. She spent 16 years with the detective bureau and was assigned to the West Chicago avenue station two years ago, where she remained until she became ill.

Mrs. Faubel's first work as policewoman was the patrolling of department stores, where pickpockets had been thriving. She caused the arrest of hundreds of mashers and after a long investigation laid her evidence before a court, resulting in many convictions.

Foe of "Mashers." More recently she waged her campaign against "mashers" both on the streets and in theaters, and traveled over the country lecturing on her work and writing articles for publication. She was instrumental in writing and financing a play dealing with the pitfalls that face girls in Chicago.

She divorced her first husband, Leonard H. Clement, in 1918 and secretly married Mr. Faubel in 1918.

Funeral arrangements were being made last night. A police guard will accompany the body when it is buried, probably on Wednesday.

Condemn 5 Out of 800 on  
Trial for Albania Revolt

(Chicago Tribune Press Service)

BELGRADE, Dec. 26.—Eight hundred persons are being court-martialed at Belgrade for participation in the recent revolution in North Albania. So far five have been sentenced to death, six to imprisonment for life, forty to prison terms up to five years, and three have been acquitted.

## EUROPEAN BUSINESS COMBINES SEEN AS A FACTOR IN U. S. FIELD

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26.—(Special)—European industrial consolidations since the war are a factor of outstanding significance in world economies and of considerable importance to American business, according to Louis Domen茨ky, chief of the regional information division of the department of commerce.

"The recent formation of the continental steel combine, with the object of regulating the steel production of Germany, France, Belgium, Luxembourg, and the Saar, has served to call the attention of the American public to the tendency toward international combinations in the industrial field—a tendency that has developed along interesting lines during the last few years," said Mr. Domen茨ky.

"This, of course, is not an entirely new movement, but rather a resumption of the strong international economic trend that had made its appearance long before the war, as shown by the existence of international combinations in the automobile, textile, pottery, enamel ware, plate glass, etc., industries, of them having for their objects a division of markets.

## "UNLOADED GUN" WOUNDS YOUTH AT YULE PARTY

One of those guns that "wasn't loaded" nearly proved fatal yesterday for John Bula, 17 years old, in the miles of New City, New York, at his home at 1825 West 44th street.

While the festivities were going full blast, with a lot of John's relatives and friends gathered about, one of John's young friends, John Gronkowski, 15 years old, 4446 South Ashland avenue, happened in. Motioning young Bula to follow him to the kitchen, the Gronkowski boy unwrapped a mysterious bandage, revealing three shiny new revolvers.

A couple of minutes later a sharp report from the kitchen startled the guests and, rushing in, they found John Bula writhing in pain on the floor and John Gronkowski, nowhere to be seen. One of the guns had been accidentally discharged, the bullet striking young Bula in the neck.

Last night detectives of New City station were searching for Gronkowski. Physicians declared Bula's wound, though serious, would not prove fatal.

St. Bernard Dog Mothers

Six Pairs of Runts Pigs

NICE, France, Dec. 26.—(AP)—The problem of raising runt pigs has been solved by a St. Bernard dog belonging to a Riviera farmer and pig raiser, M. Zucchini. Henriette, the dog, inspects each of the litter of pigs, chooses one or two runts, and carries them to her kennel, where they are cared for in a methodical and hygienic manner. Henriette has developed six pairs of runt pigs to the point where they nearly equal their stronger brothers in selling value.

## FRENCH TO MAKE OWN GASOLINE IN U. S. AND SHIP IT

New York, Dec. 26.—(AP)—Direction of a gasoline manufacturing and shipping point at Texas City, Tex., is being considered by a group of French engineers and financiers. Maurice Coster, vice president of the Westinghouse Electric International corporation, announced today. Jules Lettre heads a group of French engineers who arrived from Paris and left to-night for Texas City to make a survey of the situation.

The French group proposes to build

a large petroleum shipping point and a cracking plant at tidewater, with a daily capacity of 84,000 gallons of gasoline, Mr. Coster said. The gasoline would be shipped in French boats to Hawaii and from there carried by pipeline to Ports and other points.

The French engineers hope to obtain legislation from the chamber of deputies that will exempt the motor fuel made in the United States from import and other taxes at Havre, France.

DEATH AFTER FALL ON ICE

Martin Gill, 80 years old, 245 South 16th street, Brown, died yesterday at the county hospital, where he was taken on Dec. 8 after he had fractured his left arm in a fall on the ice.

He had suffered a cerebral stroke over the past few days.

On the ice he fell and skinned over them

on the covered pavement.

## German Builds "Desert Ship" with 40-Foot Wheels

BERLIN, Dec. 26.—(AP)—The future "ship of the desert" will not be the traditional camel, in the view of a Kiel inventor, Johann Christoph Blaßoff. He is working in conjunction with other engineers and the co-operation of industrialists to build a massive camel-like vehicle, nearly 200 feet long, 18 feet broad, and standing about fifty feet high, resting on four huge wheels, nearly 40 feet in diameter, which greatly resemble the paddle wheels of the old time river steamers. It is calculated that these wheels will turn easily to the right, and skid over them easily at about 20 miles an hour.

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AN ANNUAL event in this store . . . and an annual money-saving opportunity for every woman in Chicago. You are certain to "Take Away" a genuine value, for the Coats, Frocks and Furs offered here, as well as many others not advertised, are obviously worth a great deal more. Indisputable Taylor style and quality at surprisingly low prices are waiting for you. Let today be the day for inspecting these most unusual values!

### DRESS COATS

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18 COATS of rich furs and fabrics, in 18 smart colors, formerly to \$110.	\$65
28 COATS of most elaborate fashioning, a wonderful variety, formerly to \$125.	\$75
COATS of Fortuna, Veloria, Impe- rial Kashmir, lavishly furred, formerly to \$165.	\$95
COATS, the finest examples of smart 33 cloth and gorgeous furs, formerly to \$195.	\$110
COATS, Kashmertoga, Suslik fur, sil- ver maple, shellback, pinebark, red, green, brown. Formerly to \$210.	\$125
23 COATS, imported plaid, with richest fur trim, in rust, tan, red, brown, gray.	\$145
COATS, chiffon velvet, white Hare, 21 blue, jade, American Beauty, coral, white. Sumptuously beautiful furring.	\$175

#### Sport Coats Reduced

43 COATS for sport, utility and daytime wear. Fabrics and furs of exquisite character. For- merly to \$100. Specially priced for this sale tomorrow while quantity lasts	\$55
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### FROCKS

#### Greatly Reduced

36 FROCKS for street and afternoon wear. Smart style treatments, formerly to \$65.	\$35
75 FROCKS for every daytime and eve- ning occasion. Newest colors, formerly to \$75.	\$45
63 FROCKS for party and dancing, in the new high colors. Very chic, formerly to \$95.	\$55
54 FROCKS comprising our finest and most exquisite modes for every occasion, formerly to \$100.	\$59
47 FROCKS of chiffon, satin and soft crepe fabrics. Copies of imports, for- merly to \$110.	\$65

#### Afternoon & Evening Gowns

19 Smart new Frock for Dinner Wear, patterned after Paris originals, origi- nally \$110.	\$65
20 Paton Evening Gowns, shaded tulle, robe de style, and others, originally \$125.	\$75
11 Marvelous new Evening Gowns, black Elizabeth with gold and black paillettes, formerly \$140, now	\$75
18 Black Satin and other Afternoon Frock, stitched belt and cuffs, formerly \$195, now	\$85
22 Afternoon and Evening Frock of purple flat crepe, hand spiral tucking, formerly \$125, now	\$65
9 Very exclusive modes for Evening wear, copies of originals, formerly to \$185.	\$95

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Make it a point to come as soon as possible!

Bronze Caracul Coats  
Kolinsky collar and cuffs, formerly \$600. **\$300**

Natural Leopard Coats  
Fitch collar and cuffs. **\$625**

Natural Leopard Coats  
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A fine selection of Leopard Cat Coats, trimmed with Beaver collar and cuffs greatly reduced in price.

Hudson Seal Coats  
White Ermine trimming, formerly \$550. **\$400**

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Large stock of Natural Raccoon Coats, Tomboy style, offered at particularly low prices.

Beige Russian  
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Beige Fox trimmed, formerly \$1700. **\$1250**

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Ermine Coat  
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Coats  
Kolinsky collar, facing and deep cuffs, formerly \$1600. **\$1200**

Attractive price concessions on Gray Krimmer Coats, both plain and with Fox Collar and cuffs.

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White Fox collar and cuffs, formerly \$2200. **\$1750**

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## GREEN PREDICTS ANOTHER GREAT YEAR FOR LABOR

As Good As, if Not Better  
than 1926, He Says.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26.—[Special.]—The coming year will be as good as, if not better than, 1926, according to William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor.

"Many of our industries have made real progress in developing production processes and methods that sustain production and wages," Green said. "Our trade union movement has made a substantial contribution toward making sure a high wage country and demonstrating that high wages are compatible with low unit costs. Our resistance to wage reduction has had a definite influence in shaping industrial policies."

Construction Outlook Good.

"In building, all we can do is part in buying the articles. Industries are turning out in ever increasing quantities. The wage increases for the conductors and trainmen on the Baltimore and Ohio and the Canadian National Railroad may reasonably be regarded as indicative of what is to be expected in 1927. The construction industry, which is a key industry, has shown new almost as good prospects as last year."

"Another favorable indication is the halt that has been called in community activities in New York City. So completely have these been discontinued that it will be less easy to impose upon workers in the coming year."

Soft Coal, Textiles Lag.

"Bituminous coal and textiles have much to do with these industries as to what to expect in 1927. It is more probable that 1927 will bring both these industries opportunity for real progress."

"Prospects ahead are good and our unions should be planning to keep abreast of this program."

Plan New Hunt to Rid

Henry County of Wolves

Opheim, Ill., Dec. 26.—[Special.]—In an effort to rid the southwest part of Henry County of wolves, another community hunt is planned for New Year's day. The hunt will begin from the residence of Mr. Opheim, All the Woodchuck and Wren farm, the O. W. Larsen farm. Any wolves killed will be sold at auction for the benefit of the Red Cross.

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## NATION'S CHIEFS OF INDUSTRY SEE PROSPEROUS 1927

Conditions Fundamentally Sound at Start.

(Continued from first page.)

factors involved to an extent never before considered necessary or even desirable. Farming must be conducted on a more scientific basis. There must be greater integration of agricultural and industrial units. We must apply to our fields the methods of large-scale production which have been found successful in our factories. Waste in marketing must be minimized as well as in industry.

These things can and will be done through the cooperation of heads of industries, farmers, bankers, Wall street men and ranchers.

ADOLPH ZUKOS, president Farmers' Bank of Chicago—This country is in good economic condition, and in 1927 I think its prosperity will be on an even sounder basis than ever before.

The reason for this to my mind, is change in the mental attitude of business concerns and individual citizens. Business is using more care and foresight in its economic planning; it is watching its future commitments with a more jealous eye. In other words, it is consolidating its position with the thought of holding on to the gains it has made.

To me this augurs well for the continuation of prosperity of the country, and 1927, I think, will set us all on a better foundation than ever before.

ALFRED P. SLOAN Jr., president General Motors Corporation.—There is reason to expect that 1927 will be another good year for the automobile industry—perhaps not so good as 1926, but a satisfactory year. It must be borne in mind that 1926 had exceeded any previous year in the volume of automobile production.

Also, that domestic commercial demand has broken all records and that export business has been the largest in history.

During this year something over 4,000,000 passenger cars, trucks and buses were produced in the United States and Canada, or some 42 to 43 per cent more than in the previous record year of 1925. Indeed, the last four years have been a period of very satisfactory automobile volume, the total output of the industry in the United States and Canada in these four years having been about 15,500,000 vehicles, or an average of approximately 3,875,000 per year. It is reasonable to expect that the 1927 production will equal if it does not exceed this four year average.

It must be recognized that the

volume of replacement automobile business is increasing rapidly and that the overseas demand is steadily expanding, and that additional volume from these sources in 1927 will go far toward offsetting any reduction of new user buying in this country which may be experienced.

LAMMOT DU PONT, president, E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co.—As the year 1926 drew to a close we do not see any element in the industrial or economic situation which would indicate trouble or depression ahead. This view seems to us well supported by the present condition of business.

Business is on a new plane. Speculation has been minimized by an evolution in trade—an evolution which for long a time has been handicapping business. Few, if any, enterprises have been built up, and consequently there is little prospect that there will be any unusually dull periods. After all, the greatest factors in assuring prosperity are steady employment and stable prices.

The packing industry rather expects to have a little more production in 1927 than in 1926.

JOHN E. HEDGERTON, president National Association of Manufacturers—Government officials who know, individual economists, and private reports all tell us our country is in the finest position we have ever known; that we have attained a new national

standard of living. Recent surveys made by the National Association of Manufacturers among its members support this appraisal amply.

Ninety-nine per cent of our members are planning for better business in 1927 than they had in 1926, classifying their chances variously as from excellent down to fair. Only one per cent takes a pessimistic view and anticipates a decline.

E. H. LEIGH, president Chicago Railway Equipment Company, Chicago—Locomotives and rolling stock, with building materials, are the only items for which the year is over, but there is nothing at the moment to indicate a year as good as 1926.

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HUNT CAUSES OF FALSY SHOOTING.

An inquest will be held today into the death late Saturday night of William Weber, 66, 4855 Central Park avenue, who shot himself in a county hospital following the shooting, but failed to remain conscious before he died.

## Report 4,753,000 in German Secret Military Societies

(Chicago Tribune Free Service.)

PARIS, Dec. 26.—A Frankfort dispatch purporting to be an "official report to the Reich government relative to the membership of secret German military societies" says the members of such societies total 4,753,000. The largest of these organizations is said to be the Kriegsverband, with 3,600,000 members. Others are the Jungstahlhelm and Offiziersbund, with 100,000 each and the Stahlhelm with 900,000.

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#### Dresses in 9 Groups: \$15 \$24.75

\$29.75	\$34.75	\$49.50
\$59.50	\$69.50	\$79.50
\$97.50		\$125

Only a very few are soiled, and these will be found in the \$15 and \$24.75 groups. Others, brand new dresses for formal and informal evenings; sportswear and afternoon frocks in endless variety; laces, chiffons, georgettes, velvets, crepes romaine, Elizabeth or de Chine, satins . . . every possible combination of trimmings, ostrich, beads, pleats, two-tone effects, tiers, side-drapes, bloused backs or smart tight hip lines.

#### Coats in 4 Major Groups: \$39.50

\$65	\$95	\$125
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Sports coats, every one fur trimmed, reduced to \$39.50 . . . plaids, fancy weaves so much in demand now. Daytime or evening coats, luxuriously fur trimmed, \$65, \$95 and \$125. We cannot too strongly urge early selection, for these values are unbeatable. Kashmireva, kashmaline, pashmina, broadcloth, velvets and all the fun, fox, lynx, beaver, marten, badger, wolf, and squirrel.

#### Suits in 2 Groups: \$29.50 \$49.50

Three-piece tailored suits, all marked \$29.50 for trimmed ensemble suit, \$49.50. Every suit at Kermans at these prices. Many originally sold for three times the prices now asked. Every one of these suits is beautifully designed, carefully tailored and a "good buy."

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Hats that have always been marked \$15, now \$5; those that sold as high as \$22.50, now \$7.50; \$10 for hats that were up to \$30. Hundreds of smart hats to choose from, for sportswear, afternoon and evening wear.

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Drastic reductions on everything in the first floor departments, Lingerie, Hosiery, Jewelry, Costume Accessories, Perfumes . . . In the higher price groups, often only one of a kind.

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by  
Sir Charles Higham



THERE is nothing quite so delicious or refreshing as a cup of good tea. It stimulates the brain at nothing else can do.

This week is a great one in the Chicago, the Oriental, the Twentieth, the Uptown, the Roosevelt, the Norsore, the McVicker's, and Central Park. See as many of these programs as you can crowd into this happy week.

Come to the Chicago Teas today or tomorrow, for the happy holiday throngs will be thick at the week-end.

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## U. S. RAIL EARNED A OF 5.21 P.

1926 Figure  
Since the

Washington, D. C.—Railroads of the world carried a net revenue in 1926 of \$1,000,000,000 on the property. The highest return of any road since they were in operation. More

The income in each country was ended with 1926, and averaged 4.83 per cent.

Railroads achieving a savings, the railroads largest volume of traffic. Loading of roads the year will approach the largest ever loaded in history of the roads.

New Peak in  
Condition and efficiency is maintained in the amount of freight traffic ever achieved the record being set according to the way association.

With an efficient association, the association's review of the railroads in 1926 "in freight traffic ever the record of the shippers of the

"Operating as an integrated piece of great transportation country has made a real one of traffic with time, cooperation, and cost in certain industries temporary nature.

Industry's

"Flight cars have been moved with a speed in previous years, estimate in dollars and dependable service and efficiency is maintained, but there is no doubt that it has resulted in great improvements. Because of the efficient service the railroads have been largely to the benefit of the steel industry to which than has ever been given.

"One of the reasons for the efficient and in which the railroads in 1926 was the largest capital improvement made in recent years is due to more adequate

# U. S. RAILROADS EARNED AVERAGE OF 5.21 PER CENT

1926 Figure the Highest  
Since the War.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26.—(Special)—Railroads of the country as a whole earned a net railway operating income in 1926 of approximately \$3.1 billion on the property investment.

The highest return earned by the railroads since they were returned to private operation, March 1, 1920.

The income is estimated at approximately \$1,324,000,000. For the five years ended with 1926 the rate of return averaged 4.83 per cent a year.

Before achieving a record as to net income, the railroads handled the largest volume of freight in their history.

Loadings of revenue freight for the year will approximate \$3,360,000,000.

That is the largest number of cars of freight ever loaded in any year in the history of the roads.

New Peak in Efficiency.

Condition of cars and locomotives resulted in handling of shipments in record in expeditious movement of freight throughout the year, wrote the record breaking volume of traffic, according to the American Railroad Association.

"Never an efficiency never before equalled," the association said today in a review of the railroad accomplishments of 1926. "The railroads of this country in 1926 handled the greatest freight traffic ever offered to them by the shippers of the United States.

Industry's Speedy Ally.

"Freight cars have been promptly provided for shippers and freight has been provided with a dispatch unequalled by any other." It is the ability to move in dollars what this adequate and dependable service has meant in money to the shippers of this country, but there is no disputing the fact that it has resulted in substantial savings. Because of this prompt and efficient service the railroads have contributed largely to the placing of business on a stable basis and have enabled industry to operate on a larger scale than has ever before been possible.

One of the outstanding reasons for the efficient and dependable service rendered by the railroads has been rendered in the large expenditures for road improvements that have been made in recent years in order to provide adequate transportation and

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## SON OF GERMAN EX-CROWN PRINCE WINS FOUR DUELS

BONN, Germany, Dec. 26.—(AP)—Prince William, eldest son of former Crown Prince Frederick William, has won a great reputation at Bonn university as a duelist. He has fought four times this year and has inflicted enough gashes on the faces and hands of his opponents to be a real hero at Potsdam, where he is visiting his parents over the Christmas holidays.

Prince William won all four bouts and his opponents so severely the doctors made them stop because loss of blood made it dangerous to continue. The prince himself is said to have escaped unscathed.

Prince William must fight nine times before he can be invested with the colors of the Brandenburg corps, of which he is a member.

Duelling is forbidden under the republic, but Bonn and Cologne university students manage to evade the control of the police and continue these dangerous affairs of honor.

Ormsiston Scheduled to

Appear in Court Today

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 26.—(AP)—Kenneth G. Ormsiston, radio man in the Almen Semple McPherson case, is scheduled to be arraigned in Superior court tomorrow on an indictment charging conspiracy to pervert and obstruct justice.

MR. CARR MUCH IMPROVED.

DR. MURKIN yesterday reported that

the condition of Mr. Patrick J. Carr, widow

of the late county coroner, has improved

after a nervous breakdown following the death

of her husband, is much improved and that

she will probably be able to leave Mercy

Hospital by next Friday.

Prisoners

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TOKIO—IMPERIAL HOTEL,  
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## NOBODY LOVES US.

Berlin has a popular revue called "On U. S. A." A news story says that Ambassador Schurman's attention has been called to it and that he may protest to the German foreign office. If he does the producers ought to have a new sketch added to the show and put him in it.

"On U. S. A." is a rough panning of America. A young Berliner in New York raises his hat to a pretty girl and has to promise to marry her or go to the jug. Congress passes a law to jail or deport any person who does not believe that the stork brings them. An intoxicated enforcement agent seizes his hip flask. The American man is bemocked. The U. S. A. is Woman's Own Country.

We're sorry about the stork idea. It will suggest something that no one thus far has thought of on this side and some legislature will pass it as a law. The Berlin show is probably not as funny as it could be. The Germans don't know the half of it.

No one loves slim Uncle Sam, thus proving that a fat man can have company. While the Germans are enjoying the burlesque the French cry with joy when a French orator takes the American soul out and finds that it is filled with sandwood Octave Homborg is the latest at it. To him the U. S. A. is an insidious monster extending its claws around the world. That is not as funny as it is true and it lacks imagination and originality.

Homborg said that Gen. Pershing in France at the head of his troops saluted with the immortal "Lafayette, we are here." Gen. Pershing is weary protecting that he never said it. It was another soldier. But they were there. Homborg thought Lafayette at the head of the "flower of France" in America made a nobler picture because the flower did not want its money back when the work was done. We like these discussions because they are so futile. If they go anywhere they'll be tedious.

Lafayette ran away from his king when he came to America and when he returned to get assistance if he could, he carried a letter from Washington hoping that the king wouldn't put him in jail for skipping out to fight with the American rebels. Crafty Vergennes persuaded the king to send six thousand men over to help his country of England lose his American possessions. That was it for that and when it was done the French and English could shake hands on it. They would both be out of most of America.

The French camped at Newport and when Cornwallis had walked himself out of shore leather in the south, they marched to Yorktown with Washington and pushed over a set-up. Then they camped there until they were ready to march back and sail for home. The colonies had reason to be satisfied and were. The French had reason to be satisfied and were. They had behaved themselves excellently and the British were paid out for it. But we thought they got their money back. We believe the king wrote something off. We believe that Mr. Mellon also is willing to shave a little off, about all of the debt contracted in our war.

When something in government more representative of the French people than their monarchy came along the young United States had a lot of trouble with it. Out of the trouble came many things, one of them being "Monroe's doctrine but not a cent for tribute." The French thought America could be tortured for some coin. What the tank really said was "Not a penny, not a penny." And when did we ever have millions for defense until some one had a bayonet in our war?

These Mekarski's over the back fence don't improve friendly relations, but then, what does? Nations like to tell each other what they think of each other. Nobody loves us and what of it? Somebody loves the Chinese or the Riffs or the Syrians. In fact, Europe hasn't much affinity to send over here. So much of the trouble seems to come against it. Striking America is only a light diversion. It does fairly well, but its particular effect in this country is derived from the fact that we are sensitive to it.

No other nationality wants any other nationality to love it. If a Briton thought he was loved abroad he'd do something to stop it. He knows how and generally does. He is the world's greatest snob, when he is truly himself, in keeping out of affectionate demonstrations from his neighbors, and gaudy Albion somehow or other manages to get along and is usually found in the best seat and getting most of the attention of the management.

Most of the abuse America gets is in essence complimentary, even the brick which an American sightseer may get in the neck in Paris, particularly if he has done something to deserve it. It

all has its compensations. So long as no one loves Uncle Sam he may be able to keep his pocketbook in his own pocket.

## PROPERTY IN THE AIR.

The effort to reach a compromise on radio legislation has met with failure thus far. The conference committee has been unable to iron out the differences between the White bill, which passed the house, and the Dill bill, passed by the senate. Secretary Hoover, who had some part in drafting the White bill, is reported to have advised surrendering one of its essential features—the grant to the department of commerce of jurisdiction over broadcasting—but even then no agreement was reached. It is rumored in Washington that no progress may be expected until a number of stations now under construction have been placed in operation.

If that is the real reason for the failure of Congress to act, it is doubtful if any radio legislation, temporary or permanent, is likely to be passed for the present. One law would be as fatal to claims of the incomplete stations as the other.

The chief difference between the White and Dill bills is in the matter of the agency which is to exercise control. Representative White wisely chose to place control in the department of commerce. Senator Dill wants to set up an independent commission to decide which stations shall be allowed to continue operations. A committee of the American Bar association recently pointed out the inefficiency of such independent governmental commissions and hinted at another evil inherent in them, their susceptibility to political manipulation. An example has just come to public attention. The coal operators of western Pennsylvania want the freight rates on coal to Lake Erie ports revised. Accordingly, they have obtained the appointment of a Pennsylvaniaian to the Interstate commerce commission, which fixes these rates.

There is another question of radio control which neither bill attempts to answer and it is the most important question of all. Whether the regulating is done by an executive official or a commission, the rules to be applied are of more importance than the agency which applies them. Today's teaching: Feeble-mindedness is an arrest of natural growth in the early development of the individual.

The feeble-minded have not much natural capacity of the feeble-minded are too limited to profit from the ordinary school curriculum they can be taught trades in the special classes which are being provided in increasing numbers in the public schools. Some of the most skilled craftsmen I have ever known were feeble-minded.

Feeble-mindedness is a total loss to society.

Today's teaching: Most of the feeble-minded, if taught, can be trained to do productive manual work and with understanding, guidance and supervision can lead happy, useful and social lives.

Feeble-mindedness is a form of insanity.

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## BOLSHEVIKS' WAR ON CHRISTIANS IN CHINA FLIIVERS

Christmas Services in  
Few Churches Halted.

BY CHARLES DAILEY.

(Chicago Tribune Press Service.)  
HANKOW, China, Dec. 24.—Except for the soap box orators and the constant campaign of vilification against Christians, the Christmas day demonstration by radicals proved to be a failure. So far as has been reported, Christmas day services were interrupted in only a few of the smaller churches.

The most important feature of the disturbance in connection with the anti-Christian campaign was evidenced at a mass meeting for the formation of an anti-Christian union, at which the Soviet representative, M. Borodin, was the principal speaker.

So far as the Tsin Tumors is able to learn, the movement does not consist of actual violence, but seeks to terrify the middle classes and generally undermine Christianity in China.

China Eyes Britain's New Policy.

(Chicago Tribune Press Service.)

SHANGHAI, China, Dec. 24.—The note outlining Great Britain's complete change of policy toward China was made public here today. Although it is too early to gauge the Chinese reactions, the note is interpreted here as a last minute attempt of the British government to preserve control of the Chinese customs administration.

British's control of the Chinese customs was threatened previously by the setting up of the separate nationalist government by the Cantonese, who have instituted surtaxes under their own administration. It is believed here that another purpose of the note is to head off Japanese negotiations for the granting of complete autonomy in the port of Tsin Tumors, which raises of day in Japanese cotton goods.

Whether the Chinese will accept the British proposals is extremely doubtful, owing to the increasing strength of the radical leaders, who are pressuring the boycott against the British in the hope of forcing their complete capitulation.

U. S. Officials Pleased.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—Offices of the British Ambassador on China's coast, which are in London, issued a responsive chord in official circles here, in so far at least as it represents British concurrence in the American belief that China should be granted, with little delay, the additional customs revenues contemplated by the Washington conference.

The American government took the initiative in bringing about consideration of the customs and extraterritorial question by the two recent conferences in China. There is every indication that it favors early agreement among the customs treaty powers for the collection at Chinese treaty ports of the additional revenues decided upon by the Washington conference.

The British communication has not been examined closely as yet at the state department, as it was received on the eve of the Christmas holidays. It appears quite likely, however, that some official expression of the American view will be made with the other countries and early agreement is to be expected at an early date.

Kellogg Stewarts Stewarts Report.

Secretary Kellogg still has under examination the extraterritoriality report submitted by Stewarts of Chicago, special commissioner to the Peking extraterritoriality conference. That report recommends progressive relinquishment of extraterritorial rights in China as the Chinese themselves were able to defend their national independence. It advised, however, immediate steps to correct certain abuses by foreigners of extraterritorial privileges through barring Chinese offenders against Chinese law and urged that the mixed court be directed by the government to administer Chinese law in extraterritorial cases.



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### FOREIGN POWERS IN CHINA

In a note to the other powers having treaty interests in China, Great Britain has urged a complete change in policy toward the Chinese. Britain recognises the growing nationalistic spirit in China by proposing that the Chinese government, agreed upon at the

ridered areas as far as that law could be made applicable to foreigners.

Presumably the British suggestion for amendment of extraterritorial treaties is based upon the report of the British commissioners to the Peking conference and upon recommendations identical with those submitted by Mr. Stewarts.

In connection with the increase in Chinese customs revenues, it is pointed out that there are thirteen major Chinese ports through which foreign goods chiefly flow into China. The bulk of the import duties collected

### COLD WAVE HITS FRANCE; BRINGS DEATH TO SCORES

(Chicago Tribune Press Service.)  
PARIS, Dec. 24.—All France is in the grip of a cold wave, with the mercury hovering around zero. Scores of deaths from the cold have been reported. There is extreme suffering everywhere in France, since the population is unprepared to face low temperatures.

Those who can afford it are leaving Paris for the south and all transportation services to the Mediterranean, Italy and Africa are being put to use against the寒风. An extraordinary feature of the unusual cold snap is that the sky is clear and there is brilliant sunshine flooding the country.

Bulgarian Police Arrest  
100 Bolo Agitators

(Chicago Tribune Press Service.)  
SOFIA, Dec. 24.—One hundred arrests were made by Bulgarian police in South Bulgaria after the discovery of a communist plot. The prisoners were members of a secret organization.



### New Year's Eve

In accordance with custom, Henrici's will be the gathering place of many groups of old friends and of family parties on New Year's Eve. There will be a supper menu of special attractiveness, and the service will, of course, be a la carte without cover charge. These will be no variation from the moderate prices that have prevailed upon all occasions.

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Spode-Copeland early blue, square design, 107-piece sets, were \$92.50—Now \$32.50.

"News" French Queensware, blue and green hand enameled spray pattern, 61 pieces, was \$35—Now \$24.

Alfred Meakin, "Blue de Ro" English service for eight, 85 piece sets, were \$117.25—Now \$50.

Woods and Son "Berkshire" blue and white conventional decoration, 94 pieces, was \$72—Now \$42.50.

Bavarian "Coburg" pink and green sprays, 106-piece sets, were \$112.50—Now \$62.50.

"Lisbon," Ridgeway's vintage pattern in black and orange on cream rilled ground, 104 pieces, was \$90—Now \$45.

Same ware in a service for eight, 74 pieces, was \$30—Now \$15.50.

"Stewart" octagonal English ware by Woods and Son, with conventional border, 104-piece sets, were \$30—Now \$15.

Block stem and tall glasses in colors, were \$30—Now \$15 each.

Cut crystal plates, conventional pattern, \$1.75—Now \$1.25 each.

Val St. Lambert amber bowls, finely cut, were \$37.50—Now \$22.50 each.

Deep cut blue crystal candlesticks, were \$11—Now \$5.50 each.

Block stem and tall glasses in colors, were \$30—Now \$15 each.

Service plates, \$1.50—Now \$1.25 each.

ROYAL WORCESTER, yellow, black and gold, were \$45—Now \$35 each.

Minton encrusted gold design, were \$360—Now \$180.

Caudron, encrusted gold on blue shoulder, were \$150—Now \$75 each.

Royal Worcester, rose jeweled with white enamel, were \$165—Now \$90 each.

Ahrenfeldt, delicate natural floral design, were \$90—Now \$25 each.

Bavarian gold fretting and roses, were \$150—Now \$85 each.

Spode-Copeland, rich gold and blue, were \$225—Now \$112.50.

Minton, gold and cobalt with flowers, were \$265—Now \$125.

ROYAL WORCESTER, yellow, black and gold, were \$45—Now \$35 each.

Spode-Copeland, blue with gold print and roses, were \$140—Now \$75 each.

Miner, blue and gold and blue ribbons, were \$250—Now \$125 each.

Royal Doulton encrusted gold and classic pattern, were \$140—Now \$70 each.

Newton, American Bazaar, gold encrusted, were \$42—Now \$22.50 each.

Spode-Copeland, conventional floral pattern, \$140—Now \$70 each.

Spode-Copeland, landscape and leaf design, were \$140—Now \$70 each.

Newton, turquoise and blue with bouquets, were \$120—Now \$55 each.

ROYAL WORCESTER, yellow, black and gold, were \$45—Now \$35 each.

Spode-Copeland, gold tray and rose border, were \$150—Now \$75 each.

Rosenthal, footed cups, gold patterned, were \$150—Now \$75 each.

Royal Worcester, lemon, black and gold, were \$45—Now \$22.50 each.

Spode-Copeland, blue, gold and spray, were \$100—Now \$50 each.

Royal Worcester, gold, white jewels and rose, were \$150—Now \$75 each.

Dresden lamps and shades of taffeta, were \$90—Now \$45 each.

Cystal candlestick lamps, silver mounted, were \$35—Now \$15 each.

Bronze and cloisonne vases, were \$20—Now \$10 each.

Cystal candlesticks, warm yellow, were \$2.50—Now \$1.25 each.

Porcelain owl by Neuhuber, signed pieces, were \$15—Now \$7.50 each.

Large Dresden compots, gold and flowers, were \$50—Now \$25 each.

Fine-grained leather cigarette cases, were \$7.50—Now \$3.50 each.

Colorful china bird lamp mountings, were \$7.50—Now \$3.50 each.

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COOLIDGE TURNS  
FROM EUROPE TO  
U. S. PROBLEMS

Feels All That Can Be Has  
Been Done Abroad.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26.—[Special.]—The population of Milwaukee has increased 11 per cent since the 1920 census, according to figures compiled by a local newspaper. The survey indicates that the city has grown to a community of 825,719 persons, as compared with 740,000 in 1920.

Adjacent urban territory would increase the population of the Milwaukee metropolitan district to 750,000, it was estimated.

A feature of the survey, which is not as good news to the eligible and hopeful young women as the percentage would indicate, is that the predominance of males over females has increased 14 per cent in the last seven years. The 1920 census revealed there were only 81 more males than females in the city, whereas the latest survey indicates the predominance of males to be 98—or a gain of 14 per cent.

His administration has made little progress in carrying out its foreign program and the outstanding move- ment to join the permanent court of arbitration has been deemed by the apparent refusal of the members of the court to accept the senate resolution to the court protocol.

All It Can Do for Europe.

The administration is understood, feels that it has done everything in its power to aid the countries of Europe. The chief accomplishment has been the inauguration of the Dawes plan, although in other respects very little has been done outside of an agreement on the debts with most of the debtor nations, France being the notable exception. The so-called Lau- manne treaty with Turkey and the Geneva protocol to prohibit the use of poison gas in warfare are still pending, with evidence that they may not be acted upon this session.

President Coolidge has undertaken a compromise farm relief program which may be urged if he and his advisers can reach a conclusion on the legislation so strongly demanded by the corn and wheat farmers. Reduction of taxation, prohibition, and consolidation of the railroads to bring about reduced rates for the benefit of farm producers are some

of the questions now before the Presi- dent.

Opposed to Foreign Pressure.

Upon these, it is expected, he will shortly have something to say in a way to show he is concentrating attention on domestic problems.

The President, according to some of his advisers, holds the same views on international questions that he ex- pressed in early months, but is op- posed to changing his policy to conform to the demands of foreign na- tions.

They also assert that in giving himself up more earnestly to home

questions, there is no political aspect in his activities.

In their opinion these questions are vital ones that, in the end, may seri- ously affect American prosperity.

Since it has become plain that the farm situation is not improving through economic development, it is recognized by administration ad- visers that something should be done to legitimize farm relief legislation.

Farm relief and prohibition are ex- pected by many to figure in the cam- paign to elect delegates to the 1928

national convention. Already ex-Gov. Lowden is pushing his farm proposal, and it is thought by some of the President's friends, if Mr. Coolidge in- tends to seek another term, he should emerge from the nominating chair on farm relief legislation.

It is felt that the President is con- cerning farm leaders and now studying

many plans with an idea of proposing

some compromise measure acceptable

to those supporting the Mcary-Han-

gan bill, is interpreted by some ob- servers as being indicative of an inten- tion to go after another nomination.

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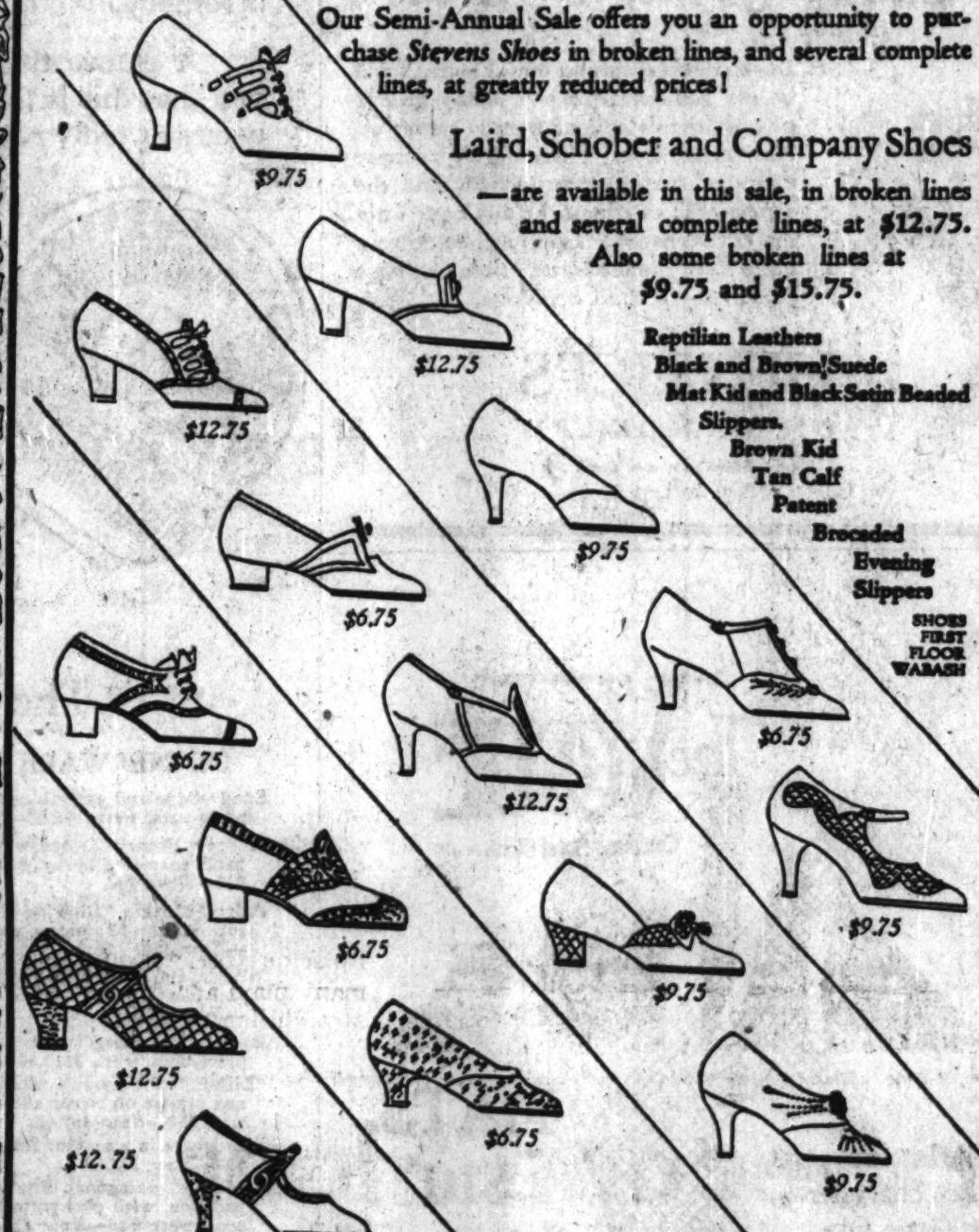
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Our entire stock of short lengths of woolen materials are reduced, **1/2**

### ASSORTED SILK WEAVES

Flat Crepe, Satin Crepe, Crepe de Chine, Radium, Canton Crepe—about 5,000 yards in good range of street and evening shades. All quality cloths; yard ..... **\$1.95**

**Printed Georgettes**  
In a splendid selection of colors. 40 inches wide. Very specially priced at, a yard ..... **\$1.95**

**Printed Crepes**  
In a vast assortment of patterns and colorings. 40 ins. wide. Ex. **\$2.75**  
tremely low priced at, a yard.

**Satin-Striped Crepe**  
In staple shades. Usually \$4.50 a yard. Priced to close at, a yard ..... **\$1.69**

**Velvet Brocades**  
We have only about 300 yards of these velvet brocades to offer at this price. Good colors, 40 inches wide. Usually \$5.35. Now, yard ..... **\$2.95**

**Velvet Brocades**  
In broken lots. Chemise damask in Special ..... **\$1.69**

### Silk Remnant Clearance

style features, with bolero effects, puff sleeves, two-piece silk in the department has been reduced for this great clearance one-half from the usual remnant price. Counters are overflowing with these fabrics—all in usable lengths.

**1/2 PRICE**

### Special Purchase of Manufacturer's Samples

BATH TOWELS HUCK TOWELS TOWELING WASH CLOTHS  
15c to 39c 9c to 39c Yard, 10c to 33c 4,000, Each 5c

Pattern Size 72 by 72 inches. Slightly soiled and one-third less the usual price. Each ..... **\$1.50**

Remnants of In a variety of widths, qualities and designs. Priced for clearance. Yard ..... **45c** up

Table Cloths Cotton Damask

Buy Now for Worth While Savings

SECOND FLOOR—SOUTH.

A Gigantic Clearance Sale of Bedding

BEDSPREADS SHEETS BLANKETS PILLOW CASES  
\$1.65 to \$4.95 Up from 85c 88c to \$6.50 Up from 20c

**Odd Lots of Silks**  
A collection of odd pieces of silk in both plain and novelty weaves. Short length and discontinued patterns priced to clear at, a yard ..... **\$1**

### All Silk Velvet

500 yards of our usual \$6.95 all silk chiffon velvet in mill ends. 40 inches wide. It will not last long. **\$3.95**

### Velvet Brocades

We have only about 300 yards of these velvet brocades to offer at this price. Good colors, 40 inches wide. Usually \$5.35. Now, yard ..... **\$2.95**

### Velvet Brocades

In broken lots. Chemise damask in Special ..... **\$1.69**

### CLEARANCE

### Decorative Linens

DOILIES SCARFS SETS CENTERPIECES  
FANCY CLOTHS

After the busy Christmas season we are clearing out all the odd pieces, soiled pieces of fancy linens at greatly reduced prices. Many unusual values are included in this offering.

### Novelty Sox

**85c**  
Broken lines of men's silk and lisle socks of our usual \$1 grade. Shown in a great variety of all-over patterns, checks, diamonds and striped effects. Fine gauge weave. Durable, reinforced construction.

Men's heavy Amoskeag **\$2.15**  
Flannel Pajamas.

DAVIS—FIRST FLOOR—NORTH

### MEN'S WINTER UNION SUITS

Three-Quarters Wool  
**\$4.95**

Heavy, well made union suits, woven from long staple yarns and cut full and roomy. Especially suitable for the outdoors man. The one-quarter cotton content prevents shrinking and irritation. In gray only. Usually priced at \$5.50.

### Random Union Suits

Gray mottled random union suits for men. Made to standard specifications in our own factories. Full size, fiber trimmed, non-shrinking union suits, priced low at ..... **\$1.27**

DAVIS STORE—FIRST FLOOR—NORTH

### Pre-Inventory Reductions on Men's Shirts and Ties

Broadcloth Shirts, Formerly Selling to \$1.95, Now Only

**\$1.00**

Positive Values in Shirts from Higher Priced Lines

Exceptional quality shirts, every one reduced from higher priced grades for an effective one-day clearance. They are slightly soiled, though otherwise perfect. In smart new patterns and the favored plain colors. These shirts are well tailored and finished. Collar attached and neckband styles. Anticipate your needs for many months.

### 5,850 Men's Silk Ties

Placed in one huge group and marked exceptionally low. This is the grade of neckwear you ordinarily see priced at 88c and \$1. These ties are cut from good quality silk and are well made. The patterns are particularly fine. Rarely are such neckwear values offered at only ..... **69c**

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## JAPAN TO SPEND \$1,453,000 ON MIKADO'S BURIAL

Tokio, in Silence, Waits Emperor's Body.

TOKIO, Dec. 26.—(U. N.)—While Tokio waits in silence for the arrival of their dead emperor tomorrow, the imperial diet, which convened today, prepares to pass a funeral budget amounting to \$1,453,000.

Sunday in Tokio, usually one of the busiest days at this pre-New Year season, saw few people on the streets and the shopping districts were deserted. Between the Imperial hotel and the houses of the imperial diet, and along other buildings leading to the government buildings, government officials, all wearing their bands of crepe in honor of the late emperor Yoshihito, passed quietly in rikshas and in automobiles.

Funeral to be elaborate.

Except for the speech from the throne, read heretofore by the prince regent, the business at the opening of the diet was unimportant. Premier Yosuke Matsuoka, in his message of the new emperor, who has been honored since his boyhood by many of the men who heard the speech, stressed the last paragraph which provided for a period of mourning.

The budget for the funeral, which will be one of the most elaborate affairs in Japan since the death of Emperor Mutsuhito, will be considered by the diet Tuesday, and probably will be passed quickly without comment.

A great pavilion will be erected at Teiyoji, parade grounds, scene of Tokio's annual military maneuvers, for the funeral ceremonies which will be held about Feb. 10. It is customary for foreign governments to send spe-

### ILLINOIS U. LEADS ALL R. O. T. C. SCHOOLS WITH 10,635 ENROLLED

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26.—(AP)—Enrollment in senior and junior units of the reserve officers' training corps reached 119,814 during the first semester of the school year 1926-27.

Illinois is first in state totals with 10,635 and California second with 9,663.

Military training is compulsory for all freshmen and sophomore at the University of Illinois.

The 7th corps area led among the nine military subdivisions of the country with 20,002 enrolled. The 4th corps was second with 15,845 and the 9th corps third with 13,628.

The cases include those recorded from Christmas eve to early this morn-

### BAD RUM KILLS 11 IN NEW YORK; 55 LAND IN HOSPITAL

New York, Dec. 26.—(Special)—John Dwyer, 20, a heavy drinker, toll of Christmas celebrations, checked up on city hospitals revealed a total of 55 deaths from bad liquor and fifty-five hospital cases of acute alcoholism.

The cases include those recorded from Christmas eve to early this morn-

### Permanent Wave Steam & Oil

Guaranteed workmanship and materials



### Winter Special—\$5

This is the work of skilled experts—licensed by both city and state. We manufacture our own supplies, assuring the finest quality. All our work is done by our own expert method, at a price much lower than any other shop in the country. (Costs less than twenty cents a week.) Select the hair dress you think is most becoming—you may have any style without extra charge. Without obligation, visit us and see us demonstrate.

9 A. M. to 7 P. M. Dearborn 1012  
Dorsett's Permanent Waving System

506 Chicago Building  
Seven West Madison Street  
Corner State and Madison

Our 102nd Semi-annual sale of silk remnants begins Monday, January 3rd.

## Mandel Brothers

Drastic after-Christmas reductions on Handbags, Jewelry, Stationery.

25% to 50% off

THE most-shopped-on floor in the store during the pre-Christmas rush was the First Floor, Wabash—where merchandise was soiled—and, in some few cases, slightly marred) through excessive handling by holiday gift-seekers.

### Many lovely handbags

imported and domestic—of leather, silk, beads or velvet.

### Stationery

some of which is radically reduced only because it has been attractively done up in Christmas boxes.

### Costume jewelry

single pieces and broken lines. Perhaps just the bracelet, necklace or pearl head strand you were hoping to receive (and didn't) you will find here, now on our First Floor, Wabash

### Clearance—novelty cuff kid gloves, 1.95

Radical reduction taken on merchandise mussed, soiled, or slightly damaged in the holiday rush. Gauntlet styles in desired sizes and colors; featuring fancy embroidered cuffs and backs.

First Floor, Wabash.

### A special purchase and sale

500 garments presented at a saving of one-third

## Compacts by Poirette

8.65 and 11.25

These garments are designed exactly like the regular compacts and come in fine silk broche fabric combined with knitted elastic. They combine corset, girdle, and brassiere in one single garment, which creates a slim, unbroken line for the figure, and eliminates all brassiere difficulty. Four models in two lengths.

Sketched at left—A long compact of silk broche and hand-loomed elastic. Brassiere top of rayon jersey. 11.25. Medium length, 10.25.

At right—A medium length compact of peach silk broche and knitted elastic. Brassiere top of striped rayon jersey. 8.65.



## CARSON PIRIE SCOTT & Co.

### Dinner Suits Finely Tailored

\$65



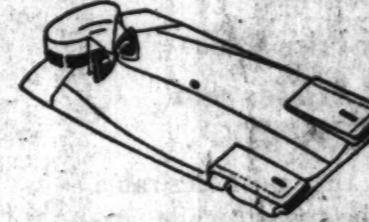
Faultless in design and finish. The kind of suit that means the greatest amount of comfort and yet the assurance that no detail that makes for smartness and correctness has been overlooked.

Stocks are so complete that men and young men of practically any proportion may be certain of being fitted quickly and satisfactorily. \$65. Others at \$45.



WAISTCOATS, black or white. Single or double-breasted. \$10.

DRESS SHIRTS with pleated or stiff bosoms. \$3.50 to \$5.



TIES in the butterfly shape. \$1 to \$2. Large wing collar's, 20c and 35c.

HANDKERCHIEFS of fine linen. Rolled hem. \$1.



SOFT black hats with silk faced brims, \$8. Stiff hats, \$5 to \$9.

MUFFLERS, silk knitted, in black and white designs, \$7.50 to \$18.



JEWELRY SETS, \$4.50 to \$15. Of gold or platinum, \$35 to \$100.

PATENT leather Oxfords on a comfortable combination last. \$9.

First and Second Floors, South.

### Furnace Sold and Room Rented

### Quickly Through

### TRIBUNE WANT ADS!

Consider the variety of appeal always present in The Chicago Tribune Want Ad Section! Here are two typical examples. One advertiser sells a furnace to one of 28 good prospects produced by one Tribune Want Ad and another makes extra spending money by renting a spare room to a good boarder reached through another Tribune Want Ad! Whatever you have to sell, exchange or rent, here is the best way of finding a market for your offer. Try a Tribune Want Ad first!

Letters in the \$1,000 Want Ad Contest are being judged now. Watch for the winners! They will be announced soon.



"We advertised a furnace in the Sunday Tribune and received twenty-eight inquiries. It was sold to the second person that called. A very good record for a two line ad."—Mrs. Henry Saller, 928 S. Mayfield avenue.



"My spare bed room was rented through the best investment I ever made, a two dollar Tribune Want Ad. A refined out of town lad found a home, and I was able to replace worn out furniture with that extra income."—Annie Nixon, 2349 Kedzie boulevard.

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## CHIEF ASSEMBLY FIGHT ON TRANSIT AND REMAPPING

### Review Reapportionment Issue Next Week.

Reapportionment and the Chicago transit problem are the two issues expected to hold the center of action in the new legislature, which convenes a week from next Wednesday. The reapportionment, strengthened by a decision of the Illinois Supreme court, will make a determined battle over the redistricting of the state. The urban districts, entitled by their population to a majority of the seats in the assembly, are growing, underrepresented, it is claimed.

#### Called a Duty by Court.

"Although the Supreme court refused to issue the mandatory writ compelling the legislature to act, the signature of a redistricting bill on the court's part is as emphatic in stating that it was their clear duty to do so," Mr. Schackenberg said.

Democratic legislators have sought to weaken their vote against the resolution by declaring it was discretionary with them whether the state should be redistricted. The Supreme court held it was mandatory. The mandatory order was denied, not because of the merit of the suit, which was brought by John C. Fergu, but because the court held it could not give orders to the legislature, an independent branch of the state government.

#### Reapportionment Committee Split.

The report of the Barr committee on transit, which has been holding public hearings on the proposed telephone franchise bill, is expected to be ready early next week. It will be fought out in the legislature, it is believed.

As to the organization of the new assembly, it is generally believed that Gov. Small will hold control. In the house it is claimed by administration leaders that two-thirds of the Republican representatives will bow to the small majority, and that they will put themselves in Peoria again in the coming year.

In the Democratic side, a struggle for the minority leadership is expected between Arthur Rue of Vandalia, Democratic leader of the last assembly, and Daniel L. Igou of Hyde Park.

#### Flight on Gas Tax.

Inspection of the governor on the findings of the Supreme court that he withheld interest money earned by the state while he was state treasurer is a small fetched hope, it is felt.

A fight will ensue, however, on the governor's plan to establish a gasoline tax. Cook county legislators said yesterday that they do not object to the principle of a gasoline tax, but that they will defeat it in the certainty that Small will divert more than 90 per cent of the proceeds, most of which will come from Cook county, to the widening of downstate roads.

## YANK GOOD WILL AIRMEN FETED BY MEXICAN FLYERS

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Mexico City, Dec. 26.—A flying exhibition was put on at Balbuena field this morning in honor of the American good will aviators who are here on the first leg of their Pan-American flight.

Maj. Pablo Sidar led a squadron of Mexican aviators who are here on the first leg of their Pan-American flight. President Calles will receive Maj. Dargue and the other members of the Mexican airmen through intricate evolutions at an altitude of between 10,000 and 15,000 feet.

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**Social Tea Lunch  
for Business Girl  
Just Doesn't Work**

Business girls are not eating the kind of food that makes better business girls. The story of these ill-chosen noon meals came out at a recent meet of the Association to Promote Proper Housing for Girls. Sandwiches, coffee and deserts were reported to be efficiency's highly dangerous enemies between the morning and the night meal.

Mr. Harry Moskowitz, chairman of the meeting, said: "Many girls would prefer silk stockings to eating, but eat they must if they are to continue to buy silk stockings."

The girls are working in that to "give you to think," as the bellboy says. It is too much in these days of glorified rather extremities to expect any young woman to down the urge for silk stockings. It might be a good argument if skirt hem and ankles were on more intimate relations. But I am afraid it is out as a talking point, this season.

There must be other things for which nutritious foods might be substituted. Take some of the gew-gaws like beads and bracelets. But I really think that isn't the way, either, to go about reforming the noon meal.

There is one simple solution. It was pointed out the luncheons cost an average of 50 cents. With fifty cents you can gather onto your noon meal a fairly good supply of the needed vitamins. You can get a glass of milk, a salad, and a fruit dessert for it in a number of places. Nature's own fruits not be a restaurant with music. But by shopping around you can find places to eat within your income.

Another day you can get a bowl of soup, an egg dish, and a glass of milk. You probably will not be able to get meat dishes on the menu, but you don't need them. You know so much as you need milk, green vegetables, and fruit. Don't cut these out of your diet, no matter what else you have to give up. Don't overlook the milk item. Get a pint a day, at the least. Most diets advise a quart a day.

It's a long time from the market to dinner, and employees aren't keen about having droopy workers on their premises. Unless the noon meal is energizing, along about three or four you haven't the stamina to keep up. There is one thing girls could save on—cosmetics. If the right kind of food goes into the system, the complexion and expense may be quite appreciably reduced.

#### BEAUTY ANSWERS

MISS F. B.: A SPLENDID APPLICATION for supplying the necessary oil to the scalp is to mix 10 drops of oil and alcohol. The amount of oil may be varied to suit your requirements. Apply the mixture to the scalp and rub it through the hair until it is evenly distributed. The alcohol will evaporate.

#### EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

The Tribune will pay \$1 for every letter published on "The Most Embarrassing Moment of My Life." Address Embarrassing Moment, Chicago Tribune. Write on one side of the paper. No manuscript returned.

#### Called Him Honky.

A short time ago, while walking to church with a girl friend, we were discussing how homely a certain boy was, and a woman came in front of us and kept on talking of the boy. Suddenly noses of the women turned around and said, "If you please, he is not as homely as you."

I learned later that this woman was the boy's mother.

L. S.

#### JINGLES

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"The Better 'Ole",  
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**Herman Gades Now at Washington After Long Stay in Brazil**

BY NANCY R.

The many friends of the Herman Gades, these popular ex-Chicagoans, are in the fact that the famous dancer is in this country, perhaps for a length of time. It's several years since Mr. Gade's post as Norwegian Ambassador to Brazil took him away from Chicago and down to South America. Now, he is in Washington on an important business between the Norwegian government and ours, and happens to take the place of the ambassador from Norway, who is away.

The wise ones have it that the position may become permanent—certainly his friends are hoping that it will, for despite the fact that the Gades' beau-  
tiful home, Rio de Janeiro, is one of the most livable places in the world, it's not nearly as accessible to the fashionable world as a Washington residence would be. Moreover, young Herman Gade has a post in Washington, and the family is reunited there now for the first time in many months.

Upon our former citizenry, I understand that the Hubert Galt, whose charming "dome house" at Santa Fe, N. M., has proved a favorite visiting spot to those Chicago folks who have taken them to the southwest part of the country, are devoting it for the winter. They are taking their two children and going to spend the next few months in Santa Fe with Mrs. Galt's mother, Mrs. J. Z. Meyer.

There was a chatty and an interested audience yesterday afternoon down at the Eighth Street theater to watch and listen to the Allied Arts presentation. Among those on the darkened side of the platform were the Rockefellers, McCormicks, the Haynes Hairs, the Augustus Peabody and Edwin Krenn, the John H. Winterbothams and their daughter, Mrs. Miss Elsie McCormick, the Joseph Ryders, the Leander McCormicks, the Edward Cudahys, Miss Ruth Cummings, Miss Eleanor Holden, Mrs. Arthur MacVeagh, Mrs. Horace Greeley, Arthur J. Patterson, James MacVeagh, and Robert Lee Edwards.

**Day's News in Society**

The young people's parties on today's roster include a dinner-dance to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Cudahy at their residence at 1501 State Parkway, a dance to be given for Miss Beatrice Kirk and Miss Elsa Armour at the Cudahy's home, a party for Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Kirk and Mrs. Mrs. A. Watson Armour, and a dance at the Arts Club for Miss Jean and John Stevens by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde G. Stevens. Other parties will be a dinner dance to be given for Miss Jane Schuttler at the Opera club by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schuttler, a dinner dance to be given by Mr. and Mrs. William M. Brady at the Drake for Miss Charlotte Higgins, before the Armour-Kirk party, and Miss Corinna McVeagh's debut ball at the Blackstone to be given by the Eugene J. McVeagh.

Also taking place today are tea to be given by Mrs. Edward Everett Vining, Mrs. William Vinton, Mrs. Mathews, Mrs. Mary Adelaidie Dierckins, and Miss Jane Harding from 4 to 7 o'clock at the Fortnightly, and a dance to be given this evening by Mr. and Mrs. George Stanley Parker and Mr. and Mrs. William Day Trueblood of Winnetka at the Winnetka Woman's Club for Miss Elizabeth Parker and Miss Lois Trueblood.

The Chicago Smith College club is to hold its annual Christmas meeting on Friday at the Woman's Athletic club. Mrs. John Cotton is president of the club.

Mr. James A. Patten of Evanston is to be hostess at a tea at her residence on Ridge avenue on Friday, Dec. 7, for the members of the Associate Alumnae Association of Northwestern University. Miss Cornelia Laut is to tell of the early days of the university and town. Mrs. Carleton H. Pendleton is president of the organization and Mrs. L. A. Smothers is chairman of the program committee.

Miss Jane McCormick, daughter of the Donald R. McCormicks of Lake Forest, and Miss Josephine MacVeagh, who are to be bridesmaids in the wedding tomorrow of Miss Eleanor Blakely of Minneapolis to James Ford Bell Jr., are arriving in Minneapolis today. They will participate with the wedding party at the bridal dinner to be given this evening by Mr. and Mrs. Bell at their country place at Lake Minnetonka.

Dempster Murphy arrived in St. Louis on Christmas morning to pass the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Heman J. Pettigill, of the St. Louis Country Club.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Logan of 2526 Lincoln Park West and her daughter, Miss Jean Logan, are to sail on Jan. 18 on the S. S. Europa for Europe. They hope to reach Paris by the end of February when Miss Logan will study music and attend the Sorbonne. Dr. and Mrs. Logan are to give a dinner dance for their daughter at the Fortnightly tomorrow evening.

**WASHINGTON SOCIETY**

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26.—(Special)—The secretary of the treasury, who went to his home in Pittsburgh for Christmas, was joined there by his son, Paul Mellon, for the week-end.

The assistant secretary of the treasury and Mrs. Charles S. Dewey gave a luncheon yesterday in celebration of Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Letter had a large company at dinner last evening, including relatives of both, and the college and school chums of Tommy Letter. Mrs. Letter afterwards took their guests to the ball for the Children's Country home, in which she is interested as president of the board. Mrs. Letter headed the receiving committee, assisted by other women members of the board. She wore a gown of rich purple velvet with diamond ornaments.

A musical was given yesterday afternoon as a Christmas party by Mrs. Frederic McCormick-Goodheart and his son Leander McCormick-Goodheart, at their place, Langley Park, in Maryland. The party was given by his son, the Russian tenor, who made his debut in "Pique Dame" given by the Washington Opera company a few weeks ago. He was assisted at the piano by Mildred Kolb Schulze, Washington pianist and composer, and son of William C. Vierbuchen of Chicago, and Michigan City, Ind. After the program the company had tea and danced.



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**MISS VIOLET HOLMES**

(Moffett Photo.)

Dr. and Mrs. Bayard Holmes Jr., of 5230 Stony Island avenue, announced the engagement of their daughter, Violet, to Wilbur LeRoy Bratstrom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Bratstrom of 218 East 65th place, at a reception given at their residence yesterday afternoon. Miss Holmes is a graduate of the Weyers Club at the University of Chicago, and Mr. Bratstrom is a member of the Chi Psi fraternity, also at Chicago.

**She Doesn't Like Red Hair, So He's Ready to Dye for Her**

BY DORIS BLAKE

I am a young chap of 19 and deeply in love with a girl of my mind, but through a friend I have been informed that she dislikes red hair. Would you advise me to dye my hair or give up the girl?—Snuffy W. W.

No girl's worth dying for, Snuffy, that won't take you. You are a good boy for thinking of those eager young women who have been bombarding my doors, begging for blonde hair prescriptions. Those who acted rashly upon what was believed to be the discovery of the significant fact about masculine preferences need no advice now on the subject. They only need time to restore the original color which they pretty near ruined with the peroxide bottle.

There may be a few silly people in the world who emotively to the color of a necklace or the color of locks. But preferences, when they are allied to love that is going to stand the test of time, are not to be trifled with, so speak. Either that, or else there aren't any preferences at all. You just love, regardless.

So, Snuffy, when a message grapevines its way around to you that a girl doesn't like your fiery locks, don't take it out on the hair with dye. Just suspect a rival, the color, who is trying to do with the girl. He may be no better man than you are. He may not be so good. But there is something about him the girl likes and that settles the dying controversy.

One of the popular illusions about love is that the tall, dark, young man coming to collect the maiden and the golden princess waiting to be collected. Stand on the church steps and watch the couples coming up to be married. Girls of every known hue come tripping gaily along upon papa's arm and awaiting their turn to be made of the right shape, size and hue. Proving nothing, if not that generalizations have little to do with wedding rings, or the real thing—love. Some day, maybe, we'll be able to dig up some helpful material on this business of preferences. In the meantime, one may be reasonably assured that the attraction that draws two people together and holds them is influenced less strongly by the color of hair, eyes, complexion, than by disposition, temperament, character, and behavior.

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Everything is new and a visit will be a delight and joy to the woman who appreciates an establishment that is little more than just a Beauty Shop.

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That is of the highest type of skill and artistic treatment. Given to suit your individual type. Round, Carl, Marcel, or Ringlets; no extra charge. Shampoo and Set.

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**ANNIE NICHOLS' RECORD-BREAKING COMEDY**

**'Abie's Irish Rose'**

**THE Play That Rehabilitation**

**5 Tues., Wed., Thurs. and Fri.**

**Best Orchestra Seats \$2**

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**"Juno and the Paycock"**

**with Whitford Kone**

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**PRINCESS**

**5 Mat. Wed. & Friday**

**5 Sat. & Sun.**

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**WATER**

**"MISS CALICO"**

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"ASK Mr. Foster" to plan your winter travel. This service given without charge. Ninth Floor, North.

# CARSON, PIRIE, SCOTT & CO.

THROUGHOUT the Store are many important sales, certain outstanding ones are announced on this page.

## Beginning This Morning—

### 70th Twice-Yearly Sale of Silk and Velvet Remnants At Extraordinary Price Reductions

EXTRAORDINARY is stressed in its application to this sale. It is many seasons since such values have been noted in silks and velvets such as these. Even in a Twice-Yearly Sale known for its opportunities, this occasion is exceptional.

Silks in the Season's New Colors—in Black and White

Silks in Crepe and Satin Weaves—Novel Weaves

Metal Brocades—Black and Colored Dress Velvets

Prices Vary According to Kind and Quality of the Silk

**\$1.25, \$1.65, \$1.95, \$2.25  
Up to \$6.75**

(Remnants Will Not Be Accepted for Credit, Refund or Exchange)

Second Floor, North.

### Women's Smart Shoes Remarkable Values in a Sale At \$8.75

EVERY detail of the shoes marks them as among the finer fashions.

There is variety here, too, such as seldom occurs in a sale.

Practically every desirable leather is included, and the many combinations which have made this such an interesting season in shoe modes.

A complete range of sizes throughout the groups, but not, of course, in every style.

These Smart Shoes For  
Immediate Wearing Are Unusual  
In Style and Value

Third Floor, South.

### Special Sale of Wilton Rugs Reduced Prices Range from \$24 to \$112.50

IN THESE groups, priced according to kind and quality, are worsted Wilton rugs and wool Wilton rugs. Rugs known in every modern home as "rugs of service."

#### Heavy Wool Rugs

The 9x12-foot size in many patterns, \$38.50  
The 8 1/4x10 1/2-foot size, in lovely colors, \$55  
The 6x9-foot size, an outstanding value at \$40  
The 4 1/2x7 1/2-foot size, nicely woven, \$24

Seventh Floor, North.

### Boys' Big Burly Overcoats Reduced To \$19.50

ALL-WOOL overcoatings expertly tailored. Just the right styles for boys of 11 to 17 years.

### Small Boys' Overcoats Are Reduced to \$12.50

A variety of styles developed in all-wool blue chinchilla cloth, and novelty mixtures. All lined with wool flannel. For boys of 3 to 10 years.

### Boys' Four-Piece Suits Radically Reduced Now \$16.50

Coat, vest and one pair of knickers and one pair of long trousers included with each suit. Broken assortments in size ranges, therefore the extreme reductions. Sizes in varied styles from 8 to 17 years.

Second Floor, East—Direct Entrance Wabash Avenue Bldg.

### Smart Style Marks These Hats—Reduced

FRENCH Room hats (just 75) and some Main Room Hats grouped in the Moderately Priced Section and reduced to \$5 each.

Sports and Tailored Hats, grouped in the Banded Section, \$3.95 each.

Misses' Hats, \$3.95 each; Children's Hats, \$1.95 each (grouped in the Junior Room).

Untrimmed and Banded Hats (grouped in the Untrimmed Section), \$1.75 each.

In most of these groups, quantities are, of course, limited. Early choice is advised.

Fifth Floor, North and South.

### Negligees Reduced

**\$8.95 to \$29.75**

ACCLAIMED as one of the season's most eventful sellings! And correctly. For each individual group is rich in interest—style, color and quality.

### Velvets and Chiffons

Satin, crepe de Chine and satin crepe negligees in tailored or frilly styles. And style is extremely smart. Prices vary with style.

Third Floor, North.

Ginghams, Percals  
And Broadcloths

All sizes are represented in these groups, but there is not every size in every style.

Third Floor, East.

### Housedresses Reduced

**\$1.95 to \$5.75**

THE opportunity that comes with this sale is one that does not occur often. For one may replenish the always lowly supply of housedresses very economically.

AT \$2.95 Pair—kid gloves from abroad with a novel interesting treatment of cuffs. Black, white, and a variety of colors.

AT \$1.95 Pair—imported kid gloves, one and two clasp styles, in colors.

First Floor, North.

Women's  
Handkerchiefs  
Reduced

Those left after the Christmas selling have been regrouped and greatly reduced in price. Many are soiled.

Now 18c, 25c  
and 35c Each

First Floor, North.

### All-Wool Blankets Reduced

**\$8.75 Pair**

ABOUT 1,200 pair in all. Not a very large group in view of the values.

In block plaids, including the following colors: blue, tan, rose, orchid, gray, gold-color, black and white, red and black. And bound in three-inch colored sateen to match. 70 x 80-inch size.

Note that practically every desirable color is represented.

Seventh Floor, South.

### Every Section on the Fourth Floor Represented— By Styles of a Really Distinctive Sort in the Sale of Apparel Reduced

THE outstanding feature of this sale may be very quickly summed up as follows: garments are highly desirable from a style standpoint, and fresh-looking.

Women's and Misses' Frocks for Street, Afternoon, Evening  
Coats—Sports Apparel—Blouses—Fur Coats

Girls' Coats and Frocks—Moderately Priced Frocks

In the Gray Shop—Apparel in the Larger Sizes Reduced in Price

THAT the prices have been radically reduced makes it possible to save substantially without sacrifice of smartness or attractiveness in apparel. Here are

### Exceptional Reductions in China and Glass

THERE follows directly below specific instances of the extraordinary values to be had in this section at this time. Necessarily, these instances are limited. Many groups are too small to mention, but these Fifth Floor Sections merit a very special visit at this time.

#### In Glass—

Dresser Sets, 6 Pieces, 75c  
Candy Jars, Iridescent Glass, 1 Lb. Size, 50c  
Bud Vases, Spiral Optic Design in Colors, 50c  
Cheese and Cracker Dishes of Crystal, 50c  
Cigarette Sets, 5 Pieces, in Colors, 50c

#### In Chinaware—

Imported Tea Sets, 23 Pieces, \$5  
French Pottery Cider Sets, 7 Pieces, \$3.50  
Bird Flower Holders, Brilliant Colorings, 75c

### Pottery Boudoir Lamp Bases, \$1

Wrought Iron Bridge and Junior Lamp Bases, \$5  
Wrought Iron Floor Lamp Bases, some with  
Marble Stands—Many Types—Reduced to \$10

Fifth Floor, North.

### Luggage—Reduced

EVERY piece of luggage in this sale has been used for display purposes, therefore the reduced prices—

Women's Fitted Cases, \$15 and up

Men's Traveling Bags, \$12.50 and up

Men's Suit Cases, \$10 and up

Women's Hat Boxes, \$5 and up

First Floor, Wabash Avenue Building.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1926.

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# COBB SEEKS FEDERAL AID IN SCANDAL

## OPAL A. A. WINS SEASON'S FIRST ICE SKATING DERBY

EWERTS RACES  
TO VICTORY IN  
CLASS A SPRINT

7,500 Watch Teams  
Battle for Points.

### Table of Points

Opal A. A.	120
Henry Playground	110
Skating club	110
Edward A. C.	100
North A. C.	90
Logan University	90
Skating Association	80
Illinoian Park	10
Unattached	10

BY FRANK SCHREIBER.  
(Pictures on back page.)

States representing the Opal A. A. scored 130 points in the second of ten races yesterday to win the second annual speed skating Derby of the Robey-Lawrence Business Men's association at Winamac park. The Derby was the first to be held this year, and more than 7,500 spectators lined the rink to watch the field of 300 racers in competition.

The club trophy for the club trophy

GRADUATES EWEERTS  
WINS 400 YARD DASH  
COPPIES EDDIE JACOBSON

And Westover won first place in the Opal A. A. sprint for class A skaters, beating the pack to the turn in the final heat and holding his pace all the way. Eddie Murphy of the Midwest A. C. was second and Julian Steinmetz, a University of Illinois student competing unattached, third. Everts' time was 41.4.

In the class A one-mile race Everts tried for another victory but failed. With four laps to go to the finish the Opal skater started out on a fast sprint but he was unable to hold his pace and was passed on the final lap by Onell Farrell and Eddie Murphy of the Midwest A. C. and Herbert Knudsen of the Northwest Skating club, who finished in that order. The time for the race was 3:23 1/4, which was considered over the rough track.

JACOBSON WINS A. A. MILLE

Eddie Jacobson scored his first place triumph for the Opal in the class A. A. mile event. A sprint on the final lap caught Jacobson home in front of Charles Massoth and George Thiel of Henry playground in the first time of 5:16.

In the class C one-mile race Everts tried for another victory but failed. With four laps to go to the finish the Opal skater started out on a fast sprint but he was unable to hold his pace and was passed on the final lap by Onell Farrell and Eddie Murphy of the Midwest A. C. and Herbert Knudsen of the Northwest Skating club, who finished in that order. The time for the race was 3:23 1/4, which was considered over the rough track.

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years the evidence of an alleged unlawful act, and then, for a money consideration, and admitted for revenge, sells it to the public as the act of me. Without previous knowledge, is not fit to be the associate of decent men.

He has also attempted to befriend and destroy professional baseball, without regard to its traditions, for the truth, or for his associations, and the year in which it got him his livelihood. He has brought himself to a thing that cannot be tolerated in any sport.

Williams today said he would take no action against Leonard until he received from Landis a transcript of all evidence pertaining to the betting scandal involving Cobb and Speaker.

## Boys' Rules Speed Girls' Basket Games

BY HARLAND ROHM.

Little more than ten years ago— to be exact, Dec. 3, 1916—the first game of girls' basketball under men's rules was played in Chicago, at the Chicago Hebrew Institute, which was then changed to the Jewish People's Institute in 1922, between the institute team and one from Hull house.

Now there are more than 1,000 girls' teams in the city and at least nine leagues.

There had been girls' basketball before that game ten years ago, but it had been the cream puff brand of the days when girls celebrated their triumphs from girls' basketball by donning a variation of a knight's steel corsage and no lady played anything more strenuous than croquet. That girls' game, in which each girl plays in a certain section of the floor like an animated checker, still survives, but it won't do for the girls of the present day.

The origin of the game had its inception in October, 1914, when Rose Rodkin, present manager of the Jewish People's Institute team, went to Hull house to see a boys' basketball game. She became so fired with the game that, with the aid of Leonard Becker, present physical director of the Conscient team, but then assistant director of the J. P. I., she organized a girls' team to play under the "rough" boys' rules.

J. P. I. Plays First Game

There wasn't another girls' team in the city, but requests for games soon resulted in the organization of teams of clubs, the Illinois Athletic Club, Chicago, and the Social center. After a few weeks' practice the first game was played, the J. P. I. girls defeating Hull house, 25 to 15.

Though the J. P. I. girls were the beginners, the I. A. C. team, under the guidance of Roy Davis, soon became the leaders of the west Division High school basketball nine (about 1925)—Lake View '94.

The old omnibus barn had the first viaduct over the railroad on the main branch of the river?—C. M. C.

Cass & Martin sold broken pieces to the west side kids at 5 cents apiece and they soon in line to get them (Those were the days!)—M. E. D.

## In the WAKE of the NEWS

DO YOU REMEMBER WAY BACK WHEN:

W when kids sneaked into the parlor when the Christmas tree was standing, and armed with a darning needle, stuck it through every chocolate baby's stocking until we'd find one that had the poking hole we knew that one had a pony in it?—B. C. S., Manitowoc, Wis.

We girls went to a New Year's eve ball in the old opera house and they would serve coffee and cake, that had been donated, at 12 o'clock (boys had a snap those days!)—K. E. E., Beardstown, Ill.

We kids made snowballs and sprinkled sugar on them and pretended it was ice cream?—Sally of Oak Park.

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United States Steel company was \$1 per share, and a St. Louis broker advised, "If you have any U. S. Steel common, SELL it; if you can't sell it, give it away. They are going to take it off the board?"—M. M. S., La Melle, Ill.

The State street bridge had the first viaduct over the railroad on the main branch of the river?—C. M. C.

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THIS WAKE IS CONDUCTED BY HARVEY T. WOODRUFF. HELP! HELP!

Walter McNaughton, now president of the Liquid Carbonic company, played shortstop for the old West Division High school basketball nine (about 1925)—Lake View '94.

The old omnibus barn had the first viaduct over the railroad on the main branch of the river?—C. M. C.

Uncle Abram and Aunt Maria drove into town Saturday afternoon with their butter and eggs, blushed their noses near the blacksmith shop, and then proceeded to do their trading?—B. E. B., Bloomington, Wis.

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Chicago had a steam propelled fire engine, but took it off because it scared the horses?—O. D.

We crossed the river at Madison, Lake or Clark streets on pontoon bridges manipulated by chain and windlass (in the '90s)—W. H. B.

Gradually the same grew and in the season of 1918-1919 the J. P. I. staged the first girls' basketball tournament at the Jewish People's Institute gym.

Two years after the first tournament the A. A. U. first recognized girls' basketball and staged a tournament in the same year.

The J. P. I. won the first annual men's tournament. The J. P. I. won the championship and the A. A. U. championship the same year.

It was the season of 1920-1921, however, before the game began to expand rapidly and soon leagues were being organized. Incidentally, the Lake Wissota Girls (now the Taylor-Tunk Tri-City), who have the C. A. C. U. championship the last three years.

Tri-City Leading Team.

As the teams in the city rank now the Tri-City hold the top rungs and the J. W. A. C. Brownies probably second, though the A. P. I. team were runners-up in last year's tournament. But this year the Tri-City probably will lose two of their stars and the Brownies have regained one and added another one or two. And coming right on the heels of these two teams are the J. P. I.'s and Wellers Park, so the competition promises to be swift.

BOXERS TO END TRAINING TODAY, FIGHT TOMORROW

Midget Smith and Ray Ryrell will finish training today for their ten round battle tomorrow night in the north hall of the Coliseum. This is the third meeting between the two fighters, and the record of the two offers waiting the winner both have an added incentive to put forth their best efforts. The other boxers on the card also will end training today.

Henry Leonard and Joey Klein will meet in another ten round contest in which all the cleverness of Leonard will be necessary to stop the rushes of the Wellers Park.

J. T. Fitzgerald Improving After Nervous Breakdown

Julian T. Fitzgerald, local sportsman, is recovering from a nervous breakdown at his home, 4525 W. Monroe street. Fitzgerald, 35, was stricken six weeks ago. He is a former president of the Western Skating Union and International Skating Union, has twice been a member of the United States Olympic Games committee, secretary of the Central A. A. U. and is western representative of the Amateur Bicycle league of America.

APPLETON FIVE WINS. Appleton, Wis., Dec. 26.—(Special)—Ras-Per-Son's professional quintet of this city, and the city of Green Bay, won their 23rd title. The locals trained until

## MOON MULLINS—THE GIRL HE LEFT BEHIND HIM



## SMITTY—A SURPRISE PACKAGE



## NEWS FROM THE RACE TRACKS

### TIA JUANA RESULTS

FIRST RACE—Purse \$500, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 5 furlongs.

Uncle Bob, 109 (Goldsby) 5.40 5.00

Wynnewood, 109 (Goldsby) 5.20 5.00

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Watershot, Blue Miss, Faithful Girl and Miss

New, Different Eyes and Kidder ran.

THIRD RACE—Purse \$500, claiming, 3

Fri. 2 P.M. 110 (Lindford) 7.00 4.00 3.20

Chick Bell, 110 (Fates) 5.00 4.00 3.20

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## NEW YORK WEEKLY STOCKS

Battle Creek  
SanitariumFirst Mortgage  
6% Serial Gold Bonds  
Due 1952-1942Secured by first mort-  
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## 20 MOST ACTIVE STOCKS

Traded in for week ending Dec. 24:

Sales, Chgs., Net.

20,000 Gen. Motors

20,000 U. S. Steel

120,000 Ford Motor

140,000 N. Y. Central

125,000 Warner Bros.

120,000 Alcoa

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120,000 Railroads

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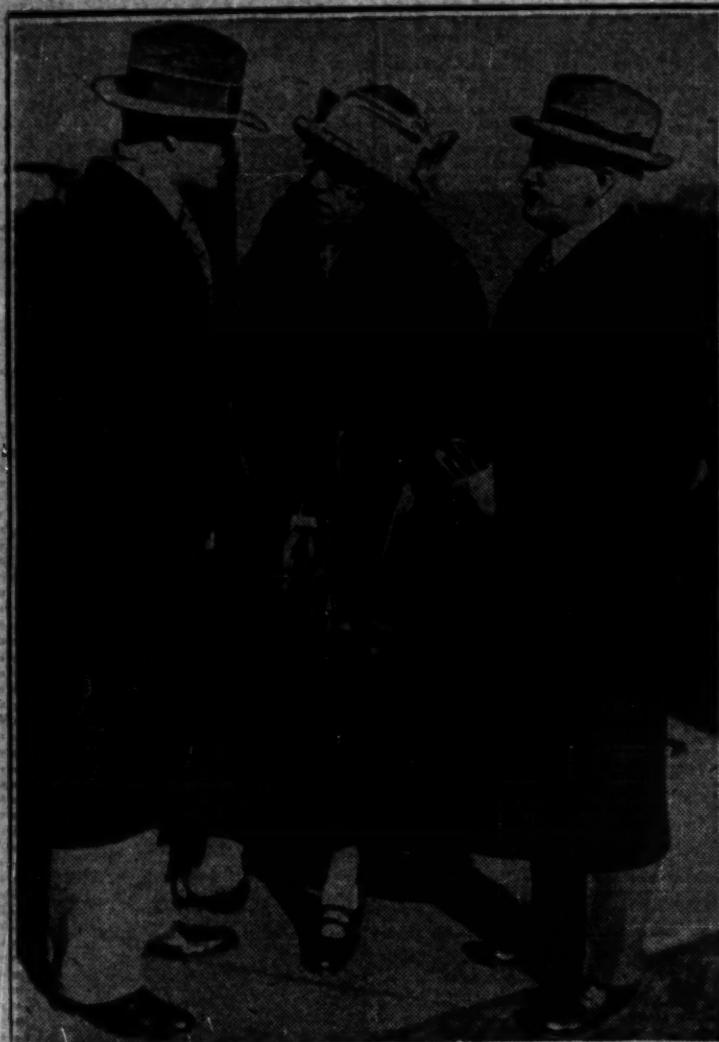






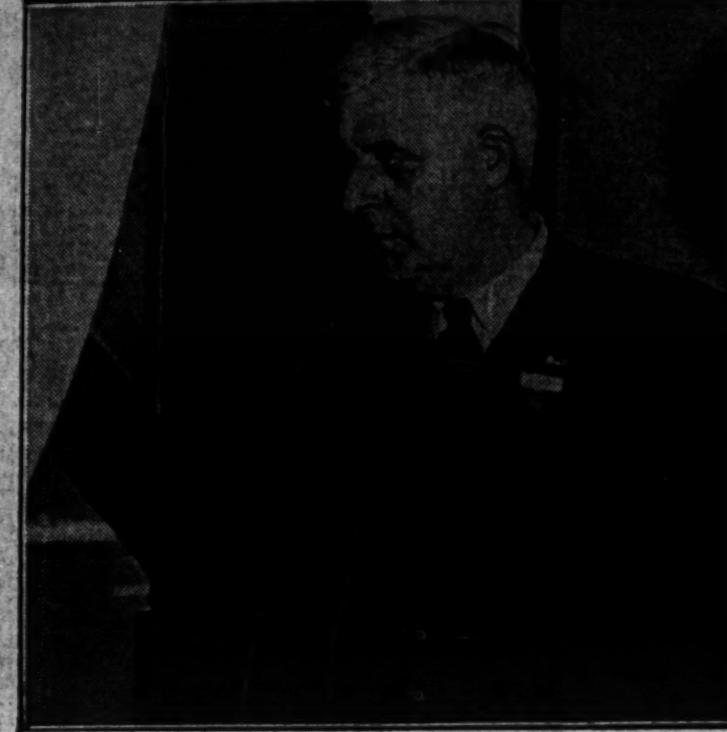


Graydon Slated for Election as Sheriff Today—Watchman Kills One of Two Men Who Attack Him



FINDS NEW FIELD FOR RESEARCH WORK. Left to right: James H. Breasted Jr., bidding his parents goodbye; Mrs. James H. Breasted, and Prof. James H. Breasted, who are on way to Near East.

(Story on page 22.)



EXPECTS TO BE NAMED AS SHERIFF TODAY. Charles E. Graydon, defeated G. O. P. candidate for Sanitary district trustee, said to be slated for election by county board.

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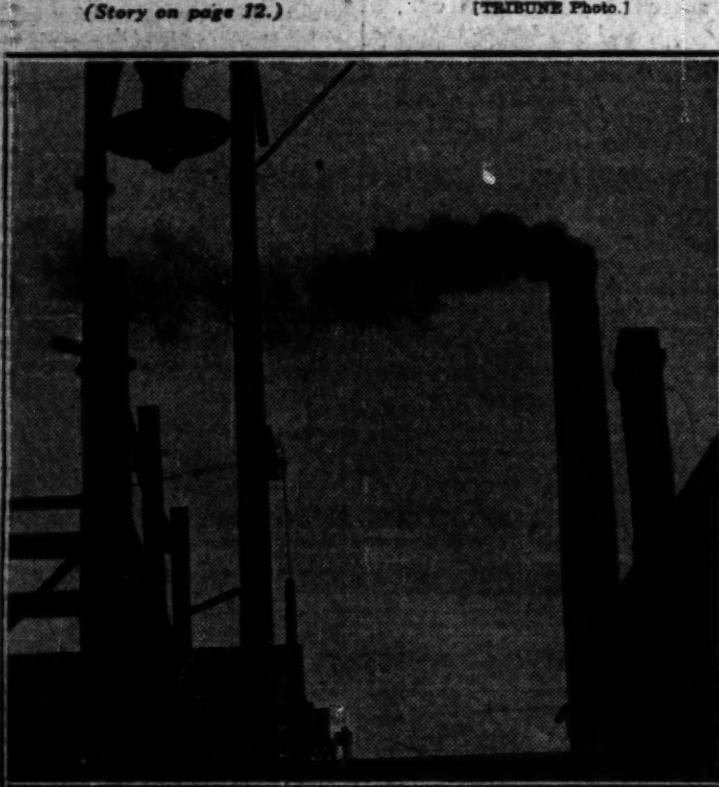
KILLS ASSAILANT. John Summerside, watchman, shoots one man and knocks out other.

(Story on page 1.)



CONFESSES TO KILLING MAN TO AID WOMAN TO GET INSURANCE. Left to right, standing: Sergt. W. Sheehan, Patrolman Fred Susebach; Sergt. Charles Blume. Seated: Assistant State's Attorney Ayers, Loren Patrick, who confessed murder plot; Capt. Dennis Carroll.

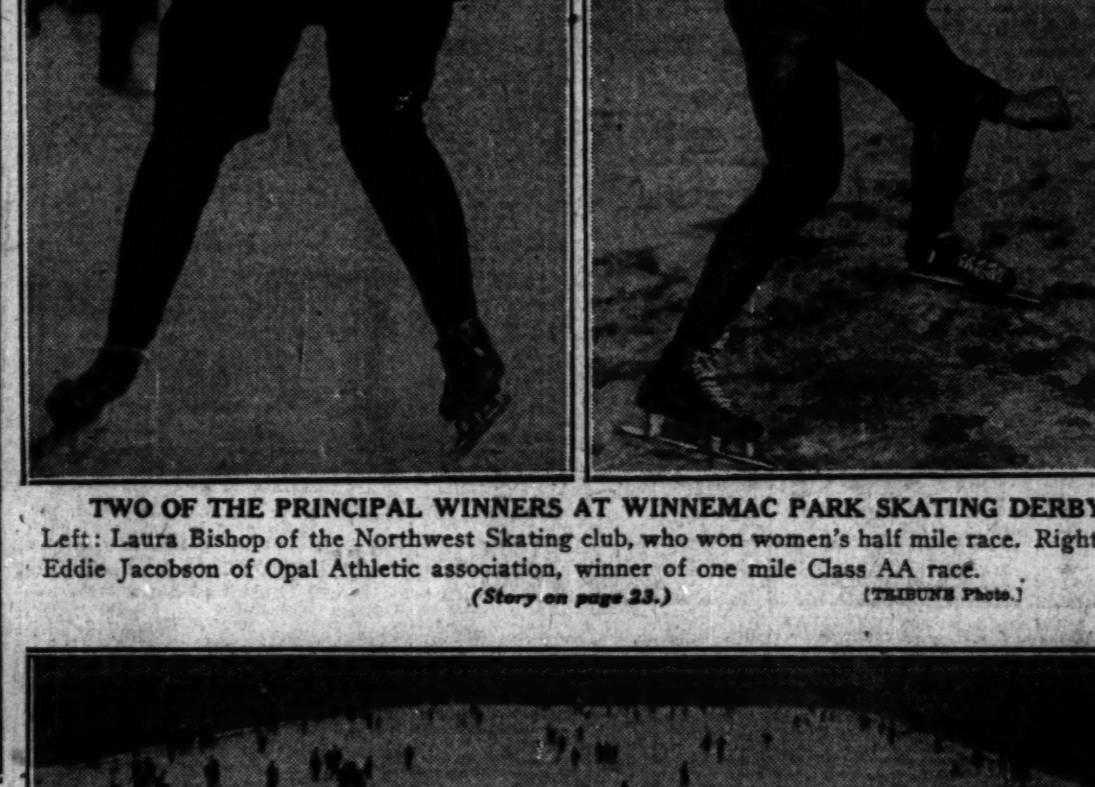
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FACTORY CHIMNEY IS OBSERVED SMOKING. At the plant of the National Lead company, 18th and Peoria streets, between 2:45 and 3 p. m. yesterday.

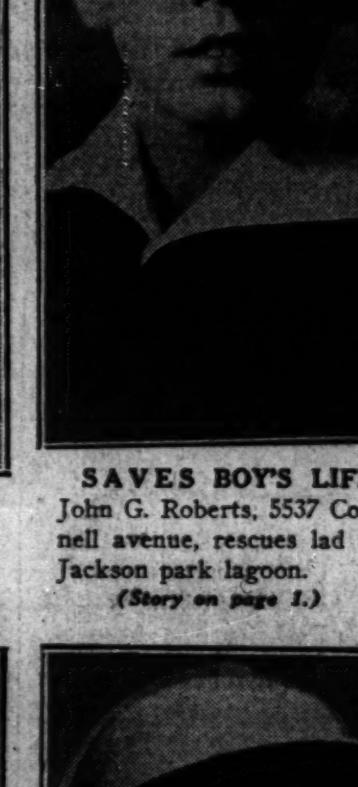


FREEZES TO DEATH. Mrs. Mary Ethel Weir found dead on road near Thomasboro, Ill.



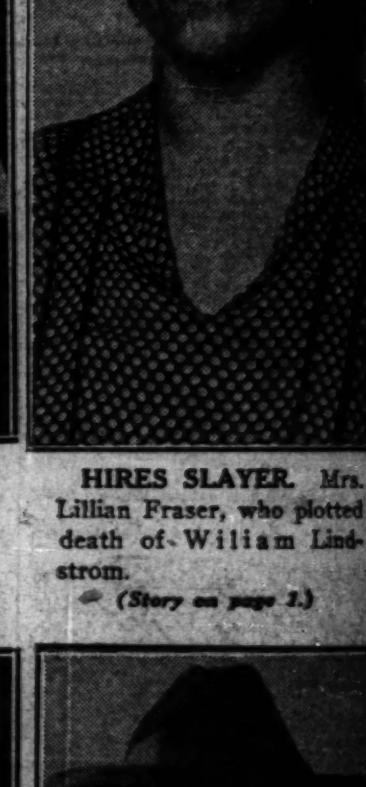
TWO OF THE PRINCIPAL WINNERS AT WINNEMAC PARK SKATING DERBY. Left: Laura Bishop of the Northwest Skating club, who won women's half mile race. Right: Eddie Jacobson of Opal Athletic association, winner of one mile Class AA race.

(Story on page 23.)



SAVES BOY'S LIFE. John G. Roberts, 5537 Cornell avenue, rescues lad at Jackson park lagoon.

(Story on page 1.)



HIRES SLAYER. Mrs. Lillian Fraser, who plotted death of William Lindstrom.

(Story on page 1.)



FLOWER SHOW OPENS AT GARFIELD PARK CONSERVATORY. Miss Estelle Nash of 800 South Campbell avenue among the tropical blossoms and plants which flourish under the glass roof of the west parks building.



IDEAL SKATING WEATHER DRAWS CROWD OF 5,000 TO MIDWAY PLAISANCE. Scene at the south side skating rink yesterday afternoon when the ice was at its best. The portion of the parkway flooded is just west of the Illinois Central tracks.

(Story on page 23.)



POLICEWOMAN DIES. Mrs. Alice Clement Faubel, victim of diabetes.

(Story on page 6.)



PAT O'GORMAN, CHAMPION WHISKER. Pat O'Gorman, Timmins, Ont., with two months' growth that won \$1,000.



NEW STREET OFFERS WAY TO LOWER LEVEL OF WACKER DRIVE. New loop thoroughfare between Clark and Dearborn streets which connects Lake street with Wacker drive's lower level. The street is an extension of Federal street.

(Story on page 22.)



MAYOR LOOKS OVER HIS CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. The mayor was deluged with Christmas cards and received more boxes of cigars than he could smoke in a year, he says.



HOME FOLK GREET CONGRESSMAN UPON RETURN FROM PRISON. John W. Langley, who served eleven months in prison for violation of prohibition law, and Mrs. Langley, who was elected to succeed him in congress, welcomed by people of Pikeville, Ky.

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